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MINE OPERATORS SUBSCRIBED TO FUND TO GUARD THE MINES

Tax of One Cent Per Ton on All Coal Mined Used to Pay Mine Guards

DENVER HEARING ENDS

Congressional Committee Concludes Denver Hearing and Will Be at Trinidad Tomorrow

OTHER COMMITTEE DEADLOCK

DENVER, Feb. 14.—A tax of one per cent per ton on all the coal mined by the prinicpal operators in Colorado since the strike began last September has been used to pay the expense of guarding the mines, according to the testimony today of C. L. Baum before the house sub-committee investigating the labor war.

Mr. Baum, who is president of the Consolidated Coal & Coke Co., operating a mine in Northern Colorado, said that he himself had contributed to this defense fund and that he understood the other operators had done the same.

"Do you assume any responsibility for the purchase of machine guns and ammunition?" the witness was asked.

"If any of my money was used for the purchase of machine guns and ammunition, I assume the responsibility," replied Mr. Baum.

The witness in recounting the injunction proceedings, introduced an affidavit signed by W. E. Wilson, a non-union miner, which he said was presented to the court with the application for the order. This affidavit asserted that John F. Shafroth, then governor and now United States senator, had aided and abetted in the violence by refusing to send troops into the zone of trouble.

"Do you believe this charge against Senator Shafroth?" asked a member of the committee.

"Well, he did not deny it in the court or through the press," responded Baum.

Chairman Foster said: "Here's a witness put on by the operators, who says he believes the then-governor of the state aided in a heinous crime. This seems serious to the chairman; I don't know what anybody else thinks of it."

Finally Representative Austin suggested that the affidavit and all reference to Senator Shafroth be stricken from the records. This was done on order of the chairman.

John C. Osgood and J. F. Welborn, heads of the Victor-American Fuel Co., and the Colorado Fuel & Iron Co., were recalled to testify regarding the arrangements made by the Denver clearing house association to finance the use of the military in the strike zone. Both denied that the coal operators had agreed to reimburse the banks for the money advanced on certificates of indebtedness issued by the state.

The committee concluded its Denver hearing tonight and announced that it would open at Trinidad Monday morning.

Committee Deadlocked.

Hancock, Mich., Feb. 14.—Finding the congressional sub-committee investigating the Michigan copper strike deadlocked on the question of making a full inquiry into the Italian Hall disaster at Calumet on Christmas Eve, Chairman Taylor today sent a telegram to Representative Foster, chairman of the house committee on mines and mining, urging the necessity of the immediate presence of Representative Hamlin, of Missouri, the absent committeeman.

It developed tonight that Chairman Taylor and Congressman Casey, of Pennsylvania, have taken the stand that it is within the province of the committee to admit into the record everything pertaining to the seven subjects under inquiry. Several days ago, O. N. Hilton, of counsel for the Western Federation of Miners, asked for a complete investigation of the Calumet disaster as having an important bearing on the deportation of Charles H. Moyer and C. H. Tanner, two nights later.

Mr. Taylor and Mr. Casey agreed that the request should be complied with, although Representative Howell, of Utah, the only Republican member here at this time, expressed himself as opposed to raking up all the disagreeable details of the calamity again. No answer had been given to Mr. Hilton when Representative Switzer, of Ohio, another Republican arrived and the proposition was submitted to him. Mr. Switzer took the same view of the subject as Mr. Dowell, and as neither Mr. Taylor nor Casey had changed their minds, there appeared to be no hope of reaching an agreement in the absence of the fifth member.

A short day's session today was devoted by the committee to hearing six more strikers who gave testimony as to working conditions in the mines, which they described as bad. When the committee adjourned until Monday morning, counsel for the strikers stated that they had a hundred more witnesses, who were ready to tell similar stories if the committee desires to hear them.

Unable to Effect Settlement.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 14.—Chas. Crownheart and F. M. Wilcox, members of the state industrial commission who arrived several days ago to act as mediators in the shoe workers' strike against the Albert H. Weinbrenner Co., issued a statement today acknowledging inability to effect a settlement.

INQUEST REVEALS STRANGE ROMANCE

WOMAN RELEASES HUSBAND TO ANOTHER; LATER TAKES HIM BACK

Mrs. Rommel of Chicago Asserts She Surrendered Her Husband to a Mrs. Gardner; Ten Years Later Finding Him Crippled and Destitute She Took Him Back and Cared for Him.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 14.—The story of a woman who released her husband to another woman and took him back ten years later when he was crippled and destitute, was revealed today at the inquest over the body of John F. Rommel, 70 years old. Mrs. Rommel testified she surrendered her husband eighteen years ago to a Mrs. Gardner.

After ten years Mr. Rommel found him penniless and his right arm withered and almost useless. He had been injured in a street car accident. She invited him home although she did not accept him as her husband and there he has lived until this morning when his body was found in his room in the basement with a gash in the neck.

The coroner's jury was unable to decide whether the aged man had been slain or whether he ended his own life. The police are seaching for Mrs. Gardner, who, according to Mrs. Rommel, had insured Rommel's life naming herself as beneficiary.

ILLINOIS LEADS U. S. IN VALUE OF FARM PRODUCT

AGRICULTURE REPORT SHOWS IOWA SECOND WITH TEXAS THIRD

Illinois is Shown to Have Total Valuation for all Farm Crops of $372000,000—Also First in Production of Corn and Oats.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Illinois leads the United States so far as the value of farm products is concerned, according to a statement of the bureau of census in a general agricultural report issued today. The facts given in the report were gathered in 1910.

"The relative rank of the first nine states in regard to value of crops," the report says, "shows that Illinois led with a total valuation for all farm crops of $372,000,000; Iowa was second, with $315,000,000; Texas third with $298,000,000; followed by Ohio, $230,000,000; Georgia $227,000,000; Missouri $221,000,000; Kansas $215,000,000; New York $209,000,000 and Indiana $204,000,000."

The state of Illinois ranked first in its production of corn and was followed by Iowa and Missouri in the order named. New York ranked first in the production of hay and forage followed by Iowa and Wisconsin.

Illinois was first in the production of oats, followed by Iowa and Minnesota.

"J. R. R." MAN OF MYSTERY MAY PROVE TO BE EARL RANDOLPH

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 14.—"J. R. R." the man of mystery at the Oak Park infirmary, known to nobody and whose identity the authorities have been unable to place, may be proved to be Earl Randolph, son on an aged woman who visited the infirmary recently.

The woman, who also is unknown at the institution, said she was sure the man was her son. She is expected to return to the infirmary in a few days with her proofs. "J. R. R." showed no sign of recognition when the woman who said she was his mother, visited him.

AGED MAN LOSES HIS LIFE IN AN ATTEMPT TO SAVE GIRL

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 14.—To save the life of a girl caught in a burning six-story building, William P. Howe, 70 years old, lost his own life today. Rose Schultz, whom Howe attempted to rescue from the flames, was carried to safety while the aged man stumbled and was burned to death. Several persons were injured in the fire which destroyed the plant of the Northern Manufacturing Co.

ONE HUNDRED AND TEN FINED FOR SPITTING ON SIDEWALKS

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—One hundred and ten men were fined $1 each today for spitting on the sidewalk. This is by far the largest number of convictions for a day since the crusade began Monday.

Municipal Judge Uhlir discharged five men who spent the night in cells because they could not furnish bonds. He ordered that the men arrested for this offense hereafter be released on their own recognizance.

AMERICAN LEAGUE WILL FORCE MURPHY TO QUIT

BAN JOHNSON ASSERTS LEAGUE HAS DECLARED MARTIAL LAW

Head of American Organization Believes Tener and Herrman Should Have Authority to Remove From the National League Any Club Owner Held to Be a Detriment to the Game.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb.W 14.—"The American league has declared martial law," declared B. B. Johnson today. "We will stop at nothing to eliminate the present management of the Chicago National league club from organized baseball. It is to my mind, essential that President Tener of the National league and Garry Herrman, president of the National commission, be clothed with absolute authority to remove from the National league any club owner held to be a detriment to the game."

Johnson, roused by Charles W. Murphy's threat to take legal action against him, broke today the silence he has maintained since his joint league conference in New York and outlined his plan to maintain between the major leagues, the good understanding which, he asserted, was menaced by the present conduct of the Cubs. The American league, he intimated, was prepared to go the length of changing the national agreement or of favoring the formation of another major league.

"I am clothed with absolute power by the American league to remove any club owner who is regarded as a detriment to the organization," declared Johnson. "The heads of the National league should have the same power. At the conference in New York with Tener, Herrman, Baker, Dreyfuss and three or four others I told them that if the National league could not control this discordant element here in Chicago that the American league would no longer be able to dovetail with their organization. I told them that Tener and Herrman should have the power that I have—to remove any club owner who was a menace to the game. There will be no backward step on the part of the American league. We are prepared to go to any length to get rid of this influence in Chicago.

"We had a four hours' session," added Johnson, and at its conclusion I understood the National league owners would go into executive session and take action in connection with the situation as I presented it to them. Secretary John Heydler of the Nationals promised to send me a copy of the record of whatever was done for my information."

Mr. Johnson said that the entire baseball world was indignant that Evers should be dropped a few days before the team started on its training trip.

'Nothing could be more harmful to baseball," he declared. "Evers had just been sent south to look over training quarters and had been commissioned to sign a number of players; men whose signatures I doubt if Murphy could have obtained without the aid of Evers. Then he was dropped at a few days notice when he thought in perfect good faith that he had a five-year contract. Of course, Evers was dropped in accordance with the provisions of his contract and he should have known what he was signing before he signed it. But we do not want that sort of thing in baseball. We want perfect confidence between players, owners and public.

"This is the big issue in baseball now and not the Federal league. I think the Federal league comes to us now as a blessing in disguise. The American league has set out to see this matter through and we will not falter until it is satisfactorily settled."

Murphy reiterated today that his suit against Johnson would be filed.

The Chicago Federals will start March 8 for Shreveport, La., on their training trip it was announced at headquarters here today.

Finals Are Postponed.

Tuxedo Park, N. Y., Feb. 14.—On account of the railroad blockade due to the snow storm, the finals for the gold racquet championship here were postponed today until tomorrow.

Overwhelm Midshipmen.

Annapolis, Feb. 14.—The team of the Washington Fencers' club, with Assistant Secretary of War Breckinridge as one of its representatives, overwhelmed the midshipmen foil handlers here today.

The visitors won seven of the nine bouts, but one of those lost was that which Midshipman Hans took from Breckenridge.

Captain-Elect Resigns.

Iowa City, Ia., Feb. 14.—Leo Dick, captain-elect of the Iowa football team, resigned today. The action caused surprise in athletic circles as he had just recently been declared eligible by the conference committee.

Dick announced that he had decided to complete his school work and graduate next June.

Barred From Newspapers.

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 14—Princeton's athletes hereafter will be prohibited from writing articles on football games for the newspapers and interviews with captains concerning reforms in the sport in which they are engaged will not be permitted. This had meen decreed by the board of athletic control, the final authority in all athletics at Princeton.

BRITISH CRUISER DESPATCHES SMALL LEGATION GUARD

Precautionary Measure Is Taken at Vera Cruz as Result of Threats

EPIDEMIC AT TAMPICO

Admiral Fletcher Reports Epidemic of Typhoid Fever and Smallpox at Tampico

FEDERALS PLAN CAMPAIGN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The despatch of a small legation guard of marines and machine guns from a British cruiser at Vera Cruz to the legation in Mexico City was ordered only after the state department had been advised of the plan through the American embassy in London.

Threats that the British legation would be made a particular object of attack in the event of a public uprising led to the precautionary measure and it was intimated at the state department today that Mexican authorities were not only willing, but anxious that other diplomatic representatives in Mexico take similar measures.

It was thought American residents might urge Charge O'Shaughnessy to ask for a legation guard if the action of the Mexican officials had been communicated to him, which could not be officially confirmed.

Harry McL. P. Huz, who has been on duty at the naval war college, Newport, was ordered to proceed to Vera Cruz today to become chief of staff to Rear Admiral Fletcher, commanding the American squadron. The post is a new one.

A letter from Admiral Fletcher dated Feb. 4 and received at the navy department today said the epidemic of small pox and typhoid fever still were raging at Tampico.

American Kidnaped.

Laredo, Texas, Feb. 14.—Clemente Vorgara, an American citizen, was kidnaped from an island on the Rio Grnade river near Palafox yesterday and taken to the Mexican side by a band of supposed to be Mexican federals. Consul Garrett at Neuvo, Laredo was notified and has made a demand for Vorgara's release.

Returns from Tampico.

Vera Cruz, Feb. 14.—Rear Admiral Fletcher with his squadron returned today from Tampico. It is reported that the constitutionalist governor of Tamaulipas, General Luis Caballero, who has been threatening to attack Tampico has returned to Ciudad Victoria.

Mexicans Stranded

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 14.—Two thousand Mexican railroad laborers, their contracts for work having expired are stranded in Kansas City. They have refused transport to return home because they do not wish to be drawn into the revolution.

Federals Gathering.

Douglas, Arizona, Feb. 14.—Federal troops are gathering in the Cajon Bonita district, near the Sonora-Chihuahua state boundary, for guerilla warfare against the constitutionalists, according to reports which reached here today.

Constitutionalist Agent Lelivelt announced here today that 7,000 insurgents had been enlisted for the Chihuahua expedition according to official reports transmitted to him. He said the constitutionalists would begin concentrating at Agua Prieta, Sonora, next week.

Makes Second Protest.

Mexico City, Mexico, Feb. 14.—Charge O'Shaugnessy made a second protest today to President Huerta against the newspaper Imparcial which continues to publish personal attacks on President Wilson.

The charge went to the president, who assured him that he regretted the attacks and would see that they were stopped once for all.

Plan Torreon Campaign.

Mexico City, Feb. 14.—Exchange on New York today closed at three for one and a short time previously touch 3.10. It is explained that the increase was not due to the demand of concerns having foreign payments to meet so much as to the fact that the shippers of Hennequen, who have heretofore distributed their exchange business, have opened an office of their own, thus creating something like a corner.

Bankers believe that the exchange rates will increase still further. Certain diplomats have been unofficially advised that the government is planning to issue fiat fractional currency and also impose a special tax on all investments in the federal district.

Chief interest in the military operations centers in plans of the war department for a campaign around Torreon.

WON ON ORPINGTONS.

Charles Winterbottom has received word from the Annual Show of the Fanciers' association of Indiana, held recently at Indianapolis, announcing his winnings on an exhibit of Orpingtons. He was awarded prizes for second cock and third hen.

U. S. SENATOR BACON DIES IN WASHINGTON

REPRESENTED GEORGIA IN SENATE FOR NEARLY 19 YEARS

Succumbs to Ten Day Illness in Washington Hospital—Was First U. S. Senator Elected by Direct Vote of the People—Story of His Life.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Augustus Octavius Bacon, United States senator from Georgia for nearly 19 years and chairman of the foreign relations committee since the ascendancy of the Democratic party, died in an hospital here today after an illness of ten days. He was the first United States senator elected by direct vote of the people under the seventeenth constitutional amendment.

Although Senator Bacon had been seriously ill with kidney trouble and complications developing from a broken rib, his death was unexpected. It came suddenly at two o'clock in the afternoon, and news of the death fell upon the senate as a shock while it was in executive session.

The immediate cause of the senator's death was diagnosed as a blood clot in the heart.

Half an hour before his death, the senator talked with his daughter, Mrs. W. B. Sparkes, of Georgia. She had just left the room when he raised himself in bed. As Mrs. Sparkes reentered the room, her father fell back in collapse and never regained consciousness.

In the absence of Senator Hoke Smith, of Georgia, Senator Overman was notified and proceedings in the senate were abruptly halted when the North Carolina senator announced the death. A brief resolution of respect was adopted, and the senate adjourned.

A senate committee was informally appointed to consult with the deceased senator's daughter as to her wishes, it being the hope of his colleagues that a state funeral could be held in keeping with the high position Senator Bacon held in the service of the nation. Vice-President Marshall, Senators Kern, Overman, Swanson and Saulsbury hurried to the hospital and after conferring announced that the funeral would be held in the senate chamber Tuesday. The services will be conducted by Rev. Forrest C. Prettyman, chaplain of the senate, assisted by an Episcopal rector to be selected by the family.

Announcement of Senator Bacon's death was made in the house later in the afternoon and resolutions of respect, presented by Representative Bartlett, of Georgia, were adopted.

The successor to Senator Bacon as chairman of the foreign relations committee probably will be Senator William J. Stone, of Missouri, ranking Democrat on the committee.

Former Governor Joseph E. Brown and Clark Howell, editor of the Atlanta Constitution were mentioned here today among the poesibilities for the temporary appointment.

Sketch of Bacon's Life.

Augustus Octavius Bacon, for many years United States Senator from Georgia, was born in Bryan County, Georgia, October 20, 1839, the son of Augustus O. and Mary L. (Jones) Bacon. He received his early education at the common and high schools of Liberty and Troup counties and then entered the University of Georgia, to prepare himself for a professional career. He graduated from the literary and classical department of the university in 1859, and from the law department in the following years.

When the Civil War began, young Bacon entered the Confederate army and during the years 1861,2 served as adjutant of the Ninth Georgia Regiment in the Army of Northern Virginia. He distinguished himself on several occasions and was subsequently commissioned captain in the Provisional Army of the Confederate States and assigned to general staff duty.

At the close of the war he returned to the study of law and was admitted to the bar in 1866. He began to practice in Macon, Ga., both in the State and Federal Courts and devoted himself to his increasing business until he was elected to the United States senate. It was not long before he drifted into politics. Frequently he was elected to state Democratic conventions and his influence and prominence in political matters increased steadily from year to year. He wa elected president of the state Democratic convention of 1880, and was a delegate from the State at large to the national Democratic convention in Chicago in 1884.

As early as 1868 Mr. Bacon was elected presidential elector on the Seymour and Blair ticket. Three years later he was elected to the Georgia House of Representatives, on the Democratic ticket. He served as member of that body for fourteen years with great ability and became the acknowledged leader of his party in the legislature. For two years he was Speaker pro tempore and for eight years permanent Speaker of the lower house of the legislature and during all that time he was practically in control of his party in the state.

Several times he was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor of Georgia and at the state Democratic convention of 1886 he failed by a single vote only in securing the nomination for Governor which, at that itime, would have been equivalent to election. When not engaged in politics, Mr. Bacon devoted himself to his large law practice, which, in the course of years, made him independtly rich. He took great interest in educational matters and for many years was one of the trustees of the University of Georgia.

When Alfred H. Colquitt, United State Senator from Georgia died, in March 1894, Mr. Bacon was strongly considered as an available candidate for the succession. Although Patrick Walsh from Augusta was selected to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator Colquitt, Mr. Bacon wa selected United States Senator for the term beginning with 1895. He was re-elected in 1900 and 1907. His present term would didate for the succession. Although not a brilliant orator, Senator Bacon was a man of considerable ability and di valnable services in a number of important committees.

In 1864 he married Miss Virginia, daughter of John Lamar, who bore him two sons and two daughters.

GORE TO TAKE WITNESS STAND TOMORROW

OKLAHOMA CITY BANKER TELLS OF ALLEGED OFFER

William M. Bonner Tells of Alleged Offer Made Him by James R. Jacobs that for $25,000, the Case Against the Blind Senator Would Be Dropped.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Feb. 13.—United States Senator Thomas P. Gore, probably will take the witness stand in his own defense Monday in the hearing of the $50,000 damage suit of Mrs. Minnie E. Bond. The senator had expected today to tell his version of the meeting in a Washington hotel, when Mrs. Bond alleges that he attacked her, but his counsel, at the last moment, decided to call other witnesses.

Just before adjournment William M. Bonner, an Oklahoma City banker, was put on the stand by Senator Gore's counsel. Bonner told of an alleged offer made to him by James R. Jacobs, the witness whom counsel for Mrs. Bond is holding for rebuttal testimony.

"Jim Jacobs told me", said Bonner, "that for $25,000 he would see that the case against Senator Gore was dropped."

Bonner said when he asked Jacobs what he would do with the money, Jacobs told him he "would go somewhere else and start a newspaper."

Previous to the testimony of Bonner, State Senator Thomas F. McMechan testified that he introduced Mrs. Bond to Senator Gore in Oklahoma City in 1913; that Mrs. Bond on that occasion said her husband was an applicant for the position of internal revenue collector. Senator Gore, however, according to the witness, told her the place already had been promised to another man.

Efforts of the defense to obtain the admission of depositions taken in Oklahoma and Texas where Mrs. Bond formerly resided, occupied a large part of the afternoon session. After extended argument Judge Clark refused to admit them.

Nine Witnesses Examined.

Nine witnesses were examined for the defense today, and two depositions were read into the record. The defense continued its efforts to prove its contention that Mrs. Bond's suit was the result of a political conspiracy. It also endeavored to lay a foundation to impeach the testimony of a number of the plaintiff's witnesses.

Bonner probably will be recalled to the stand Monday. Senator Gore, who is expected to be the only other witness for the defense, will, it is believed, conclude his testimony during the forenoon.

STATE INSURANCE COMMISSION INDICTED ON CONSPIRACY CHARGE

Rufus M. Potts and Lucius Pfouts Are Indicted By Macon County Grand Jury.

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 14.—Rufus M. Potts, state insurance commissioner was indicted today by the Macon county grand jury on a charge of conspiracy to put the Assured's National Mutual Fire Insurance Co. out of business. An indictment was also returned against Lucius Pfouts, an examiner in the office of Mr. Potts. It is alleged that these two men conspired to discredit the insurance company and injure its business.

State Senator William R. Shaw was also indicted on a charge of perjury. It is alleged that he swore to a wrong affidavit in regard to property he possessed.

No Ground for Charges.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 14.—Advised tonight of his indictment at Decatur R. M. Potts, state superintendent of insurance, said:

'The indictment will not determine my efforts to compel insurance companies in Illinois to obey the law. I do not care to discuss the indictment further. There are no grounds for the charges.'

I. C. INTER-SOCIETY DEBATE.

The freshmen debating teams of Sigma Pi and Phi Alpha Literary societies of Illinois college will meet for their annual contest Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Jones Memorial building. William Berryman, Harlowe Brown and Clay Apple with Edward Alexander as alternate will represent Sigma Pi and Thomas Maugner, Joseph Looney and E. W. Korsmeyer, with Ray Berry acting as alternate, will uphold the side of Phi Alpha. The question is: "Resolved that the several states should adopt minimum wage schedule for unskilled laborers (constitutionality waived.)

SNOW STORMS AND LOW TEMPERATURES IN NEW ENGLAND

Storm in New York State Rivals In Severity Famous Blizzard of 1888

SNOW FALL IS HEAVY

While Snowfall in New York City is But 10 In. Upper Valley Districts Report 24 In. Fall

STORM BRINGS DEATH TO FOUR

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—A snow storm, said to rival in severity the famous blizzard of 1888, raged to the accompaniment of zero weather in the upper Hudson valley, the Mohawk velley and the northern and western parts of New York state generally all day long, tying up completely many of the smaller railroads and trolley lines and paralizing communication generally.

Late today the fall of snow ceased in many districts, only to be followed by a return of the zero weather and high winds which have had New York state in their grip for the last four days. Four deaths were caused in this city by the storm and the total fatilities due to the recent cold spell and stormy conditions numbered 17 tonight.

While the snowfall in the metropolis was only ten inches and at other points in the lower Hudson valley as low at 12 inches, districts in the upper valley reported a fall of 24 inches.

Snowfall in Connecticut.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 14.—Today's snowfall in Connecticut was the heaviest in several years. Drifts eight to ten feet deep were common and steam and trolly communication was blocked.

LITTLE PROGRESS MADE BY OPERATORS AND MINERS

Joint Conference in Philadelphia Unable to Reach Agreement.

Philadelphia, Feb. 14.—Little progress toward an agreement was made today by the operators and miners of the central competitive bituminous field in joint conference here to arrange a new wage scale. The principal thing under discussion when adjournment was taken until Monday was the proposition of the mine owners that a permanent board of aarbitration be provided which shall settle all differences in case no agreement has been reached at the time of the expiration of contracts and that the miners remain at work while the board of arbitration is deliberating.

Much of the day was taken up with a discussion of the first demand of the mine workers, which provides that all coal be weighed before it is screened and paid for on a mine run basis. During the debate on this demand, it was intimated by one of the operators that the constitutionality of the anti-screen bill passed by the Ohio legislature will be contested if the Ohio Governor signs the measure.

HALTS WORK ON SCHOOL BUILDING.

Contractor Wolke has been able to make little progress on the eighth grade building the past week on account of snow and continued cold weather. The employes of J. DeCastro & Co. who are doing the brick work were able to get in only about two days. Another week of fair weather will enable them to finish the brick work.

PARENTS-TEACHERS MEETING.

The Parents-Teachers meeting of the third ward will be held at the Franklin school Wednesday afternoon at 3:30.

IS SERIOUSLY ILL.

The venerable Alexander Van Winkle of Franklin is seriously ill and death is hourly expected. He is above 80 years of age.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—For Illinois: Fair Sunday and Monday; warmer Monday; moderate west winds.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures recorded up to eight p. m. Saturday were:

	Current.	High.	Low.
Jacksonville	18	24	4
Boston	28	36	16
Buffalo	12	18	10
New York	22	32	20
New Orleans	44	48	40
Chicago	17	21	10
Deroit	16	22	10
Omaha	14	16	12
St. Paul	22	26	16
Helena	40	42	34
San Francisco	64	64	50
Winnipeg	6	0	—24



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CLUBS AND SOCIETIES.

The Fortnightly will meet Thursday Feb. 19 with Miss Agnes Paxton, 334 N. Prairie street.

The South side circle will meet with Mrs. W. A. Waite, Friday afternoon, Feb. 20 at 2:30. Mrs. J. J. Reeve will have charge of the program.

The Monday Conversation club will hold their annual meeting Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. F. H. Rowe, 1152 West State street. All members are urged to be present, and associate members are cordially invited to attend. Mrs. Carriell will have charge of the program.

There will be a meeting of the Guild of Trinity Church Tuesday Feb. 17 at 2:30 at Parish Hall.

The College Hill club will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Putman on Sandusky street.

The Domestic Science Round Table will meet with Mrs. Thomas Heaton, 111 South Clay avenue, Saturday, Feb. 21, at 3 p. m.

he College Hill club will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Putnam, 218 Sandusky street.

The Wednesday class will meet with Mrs. U. G. Woodman, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Mission Study Circle of the Congregational church will meet Tuesday evening, February 17, at 7:30 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith, 226 Westminster street. Miss Georgia Fairbank will review the book, "The New Era in Asia," by S. Eddy.

The Literary union will meet Monday evening with Judge Layman. Leader, Dr. Morey. Subject "Daniel Webster."

The Household Science club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Greenleaf, 234 Webster avenue.

The women of Grace church are planning to give Tuesday afternoon to Passavant hospital to assist with necessary needlework. It is hoped a large number will be able to meet at the hospital at 2 o'clock.

The open meeting of the Chaminade Music club, which was to have been held Monday, Feb. 16 in "Brown's Music Hall" has been postponed until Monday, Feb. 23.

The South Side circle will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. O. Wait, 120 Westminster street Mrs. J. J. Reeve will read a paper on "The Progress of Woman in the last Ten Years."

The East Side Tuesday club will meet this week with Mrs. E. L. Kinney, 197 South Prairie street.

The February meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of Grace M. E. church will be held Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, Feb. 19, at the home of Mrs. W. B. Rogers 236 South Main street.

The Fine Point club will meet with Mrs. E. W. Brown 1042 West State street Friday, Feb. 20, at 2:30 o'clock.

REVOLUTIONARY WAR SOLDIERS HONORED

BRONZE TABLET TO BE PLACED ON LOCAL COURT HOUSE.

Men Who Fought in America's First Struggle, Buried in Morgan County Will Be Remembered by D. A. R. Chapter—Ex-Gov. Yates to Be Speaker.

The beautiful bronze tablet, to be placed on the court house, in honor of the soldiers of the revolutionary war, who are buried in Morgan county, will be the occasion of special exercises to be held February 23, at 3 o'clock, at the court house, under the auspices of the Rev. James Caldwell Chapter of the D. A. R. It is planned to have special music by Jeffries band patriotic songs by pupils of the high school and the speaker will be Ex-Governor Richard Yates.

The tablet is 24 by 36 inches and is beautiful in design, being made by the Hecla Winslow Brothers company of Chicago. It will be placed on the southeast corner of the building. On the tablet will be inscribed besides the names of the soldiers of the revolution duried in Morgan county the following words:

"In memory of the soldiers of the American Revolution buried in Morgan county. Erected by the Daughters of the American Revolution of Jacksonville, Ill., Feb. 23, 1914." The following will be the names on the tablet:

Ishmail Bobbitt, Joseph Jackson, James Jordan, David McPeeters, William Scott, Jacob Woods Constantine Clarkson, Samuel Jackson, Lawrence Killebrue, John Robertson, Jarrett Seymour, James Wright, Samuel Jones, Martin Burrus, Rowland Jolly, Edward Moody, Elisha Smith, Andrew Turner and William Willard.

The presentation of the tablet will be made by Miss Effie Epler, chairman of the committee in charge, the other members being Mrs. Joseph Clayton, Mrs. Miller Weir, Mrs. Charles Ehnie, Mrs. W. T. Wilson and Regent, Mrs. O. F. Buffee.

The chapter has sent out a number of invitations for the exercises which will be held in the circuit room and they promise to be unique and impressive in character. The action of the chapter here is following that of similar organizations in different parts of the country. Tablets have been erected in many cities in Illinois including two in Springfield, Galesburg, Rockford and Quincy.

The members of the D. A. R. are doing broad work in the way of marking historic spots, building monuments, noting old historic buildings, continental trails, halls and southern educational schools. It has only been three years since the D. A. R. erected a beautiful hall in Washington, D. C. at a cost of one half million of dollars.

Reserve seats early Monday a. m. at the box office which will be opened at 9 o'clock, for the Elks' Minstrels. Some good seats left.

DAVID D. PIERSON DIES AT HIS HOME IN CARROLLTON

Deceased Was President of Greene County National Bank and One of the Most Prominent Residents of the County.

David D. Pierson, president of the Greene County National bank died Saturday evening at his home in Carrollton. The deceased was an uncle of Mrs. John R. Robertson of this city.

Mr. Pierson had been a resident of Greene county for many years and was one of the most prominent residents of the county. In addition to his banking interests, Mr. Pierson was an extensive and owner and devoted a great deal of attention to agriculture. He is survived by his wife. Funeral arrangements have not yet been announced.

SOMETHING SPECIAL AT K. OF C. EUCHRE.

Last party to be held Thursday evening before Lent in K. of C. hall.

WITH SICK PEOPLE.

M. L. Hildreth has been confined to his home for the past few days with tonsilitis.

Miss Zula Groves, who underwent an operation at Passavant hospital four weeks ago, is improving. She is now able to sit up.

Friends received a telegram from Chicago Saturday evening from Miss Ada Slaughter, who underwent an operation at the Augustana hospital Saturday morning, that she was resting well and that so far the operation has been successful.

Arthur Kelly, of 155 Edgmont street is reported ill with the mumps.

Mrs. Margaret Casey, 720 Routt street, is recovering from a sprained ankle.

News from State's Attorney Tilton's sick room continues to be encouraging. He shows some improvement each day and will probably soon be removed from his home to one of the hospitals as he can be cared for there with greater ease.

Thomas Flanagan is seriously ill at his home, 901 West Michigan avenue.

Reserve seats early Monday a. m. at the box office which will be opened at 9 o'clock, for the Elks' Minstrels. Some good seats left.

SHIPPED CATTLE TO FARM.

W. R. T. Masters has shipped to Jacksonville from Kansas City 107 head of feeding cattle. He drove them from here to his farm at Murrayville.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Mrs. J. W. Rief of Alexander and Mrs. L. W. Fulton of New Berlin, entertained the members of the Alexander Whist Club Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Rief. Dinner, consisting of four courses, was served at 6 o'clock. The home was prettily decorated for the occasion in a color scheme of yellow and white, daffodils and narcissus being used. A very delightful evening was spent at cards and the evening proved a most pleasant occasion.

Mrs. James Brown was given a very pleasant surprise party at her home in Alexander Saturday, the occasion being her sixty-fourth birthday. The self-invited guests brought with them well filled baskets and the afternoon was pleasantly spent in a social manner.

The eleventh wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wood was the occasion Saturday evening of a delightful gathering of friends who met at their home near Pisgah for an evening of social converse, games and music. In the course of the evening the host and hostess were presented with a handsome oak rocker. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ausmus, Charles Wood and son, Charles Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dyer and daughter, Edna May, Coy Harris, Albert Wood, Miss Mollie Harris, Miss Pearl Davenport, Miss Alberta Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Davenport and daughter, Hazel Louise.

Mrs. George Everett Doying 218 Pine street, entertained the officers of the Jacksonville Woman's club at a 12:00 o'clock luncheon Saturday in honor of her guest, Mrs. Frederick A. Dow of Chicago, president of the Illinois Federation of Woman's clubs. The luncheon was served on a large round table in the dining room which was decorated with red roses and carnations. Mrs. Dow is a cousin of Mrs. Doying and was her guest during her stay in the city. Besides the officers of the Jacksonville club there were present at the luncheon, Mrs. Charles A. Smoot of Petersburg, Mrs. Eugenia R. Curry of Mt. Sterling, Miss Lydia Margaret Barrette of Davenport, Iowa, and Mrs. D. M. Swarthout, Mrs. M. v L. Swarthout and Miss Nelle Doying.

The South Side Circle met Friday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Julian Hall, 124 Diamond court. The program was in charge of Mrs. Grant Graff who gave an excellently written paper based on Charlotte Perkins Gillman's, "A Man Made World." Mrs. Graff took the position that many of the faults of the present social order are due to the one-sidedness of our modern culture which is androcentric or man-made. Woman, in most of our customs and institutions is assumed to hold naturally a secondary position and opportunity is not granted her for adequate self-expression. Music was furnished in the course of the afternoon by Mrs. A. M. Roberts, Mrs. Julian Hall and Mrs. Harold Gay. Refreshments were served.

The next meeting of the circle will be held at the home of Mrs. W. O. Wait at her home on Westminster street and the program will be in charge of Mrs. J. J. Reeve.

LADIES OF STYLE.

Will appreciate the work of the new Royal Ladies' Tailors on E. State opposite Post Office. Get ready for your spring suit.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Little Alice Tewksbury celebrated her sixth birthday Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents on East North street. The decorations were in keeping with the event and the time was spent in playing games and refreshments delightful to childrens' hearts were served. Alice received a number of pretty presents and a very happy time was spent. Those present included Frances Kaule, Noraine McDonald, Mary Frances McKenna, Rhoda Olds, Ruth Rawlings, Ella Hearle, Evalee Shoemaker, Robert Runkel, Harvey McDaniel and Elliott Tewksburyy.

CORRECTION IN PRICE.

In the advertisement of Shanahan and Shanahan Saturday potatoes should have been quoted at 25c a peck instead of $1.25 per bushel.

BEECH-NUT BACON

THE FIRST BEECH-NUT DELICACY.

BEECH NUT BACON is not only made delicious and digestible but there is more actual value in a pound because the Bacon is not loaded with moisture as in the ordinary "WET PICKLE" cure.

You must realize that they stand alone in selection—in the premium they pay for the first choice of tender, delicate sides. A prime requisite, along with the hand cure, and the set days and nights in the smoke of a slow hickory and beech-wood fire to develop the peculiar delicacy and flavor of BEECH NUT BACON. BACON such as this is indeed a delicacy an appetizer, and should be so used. Two or three delicious slices to give rest to your breakfast eggs, with a cup of ROBERTS' fragrant coffee and you will forget to look at the morning paper.

Beech Nut Bacon costs 40c in glass jars of 9 oz., about 75c per pound. We sell BEECH-NUT BACON by the piece 35c per pound sliced.

Our Pharmacy Department Suggests

A KantleeK Water Bottle filled with good warm water is a good thing during this Cold Weather to take to bed. KantleeK Rubber Goods are the first guaranteed rubber goods offered to the public. They are made of the finest, most carefully selected Para Rubber. This Gum is soft and pliable—yet so tough and strong that it will not crack or weaken. Leakage is impossible in all KantleeK Water Bottles, Syringes, Gloves and Rubber Goods.
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TAR AND WILD CHERRY COUGH SYRUP cures where other medicines have been tried and failed.

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Months since enabling us at this early date to show you the very latest up to date models in suits and coats made of all the popular new fabrics and of the new and popular shades including Flame, Bottle Green, Royal Purple, Mandarin, Tango, Rapnika, Maize, Spark Blue, Mahogony and other shades and popular Plaids and Checks.

New Spring Suits

are modestly priced and sure to please—$10, $15, $17.50, $18.75 $23.75, $27.75, and $32.75.

You are solicited to examine our suits and prices—NOW.

Our ready to wear department is a leader in style, price and satisfaction.

Spring Coats



All the new models are shown in a great variety of shapes, colors and fabrics and are priced at—$5, 7.75, $8.75, $10, $12.75, $15, $16.75, $17.50, $22.75, $24.75.
You will be pleased with our showing of spring coats.

Silks and Wool Dress Goods

Silks and wool dress fabrics are growing in popularity daily. Cheney Brothers shower proof foulards, messalines, chiffon taffeta, moire novelties, Raplin weaves, crepe meteors, crepe de chine, crepe charmense, fancy silks for waists, trimmings and dresses are shown in great variety.

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This is predicted as the greatest White Goods Season in years and our showing of this line is the greatest in the history of our business career. We are showing plain, fancy and embroidered crepes, ratines, voiles, mercerized chiffons, plain and embroidered voiles, plain striped and checked flaxons, checked mouselines, masalia, nainsook, cambrics, everything that is new and popular can be found here.

Buy Cheaper in Jacksonville. For Largest Assortments and Popular Prices, See Us!

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THE THIRD DEGREE

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IN FIVE PARTS

The interest centered on this great Charles Klein drama during its whole season's run at the Hudson Theatre, N. Y., and its subsequent triumphal tour of the entire United States was indeed sufficient recommendation for its transfer to the films. It comes to you with two years of international advertising back of it, with public demand already created.
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Regular patrons of the Peacock Inn agree that the Inn has filled a great need in Jacksonville in supplying a high class restaurant service at moderate charges. You'll find the Peacock Inn a delightful place to entertain your friends.

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The weather is unusually mild, but a glance at your coal supply will show that it is rapidly disappearing. The mines will all shut down April 1st. Be sure your supply will last through to summer weather.

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CITY AND COUNTY

Richard Vannier of Neelyville visited the city yesterday.

Raymond Smith of Concord was a city caller yesterday.

Mrs. Isaac Strawn of Orleans was a city caller yesterday.

W. W. Henderson of Arcadia was a city shopper yesterday.

Marvin Roberts of Franklin spent yesterday in Jacksonville.

Lawrence Henry of Woodson paid the city a visit yesterday.

Pie Social and Valentine Party for the benefit of Shiloh church Tuesday, Feb. 17 at the home of Wm. Brown. Everybody come.

G. A. Sieber has returned from a business visit to Greenview.

D. M. Hussey of Pisgah was trading in the city yesterday.

H. G. Voorhees of Woodson was a visitor in the city Saturday.

James Dobyns of Orleans was a visitor in the city Saturday.

J. H. Osborne of Chicago was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

Owen Van Winkle of Franklin was shopping in the city Saturday.

Eugene Shearburn of Waverly was a caller on city people yesterday.

A big showing of shoes of the correct lasts for young men and women at Frost & Nolley's.

Joseph Fligg of Lynnville was a caller on city merchants yesterday.

James Pond was a business visitor in the city Saturday from Chapin.

Miss Clara C. Meyers of Lynnville was shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel Ruble of Alexander was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Miss Hazel Linder of Chandlerville was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

Dr. Peter Spurk of Peoria was a professional caller in the city yesterday.

Newton Gish of Arcadia was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mrs. C. T. Sutherd of Virginia was visiting with her son here Saturday.

Hair brushes and clothes brushes special discounts for one week only. Gilbert's Pharmacy.

J. A. Sevier of Waverly was a caller on city business men yesterday.

W. J. Cocking of Alexander was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Frank Givens of Waverly was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Samuel Cromwell and son residing near Salem were in the city yesterday.

Richard Whalen of Franklin was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Ellen Coultas of Chapin was a shopper with city merchants yesterday.

Edward Hammond of Meredosia was a business caller in the city Saturday.

Len Samuels of Springfield was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Keep the shoes dry with a pair of rubbers from Frost & Nolley. They sell the kind that wear.

Miss Alice Ator of Greenfield was among the shopers in the city Saturday.

Miss Emma Kuechler expects to go to St. Louis Monday for a visit with friends.

William Bourne from the vicinity of Shiloh was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Miss Eva Abernathy of Concord was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Jewsbury of Markham vicinity were in the city yesterday.

Miss Florence Darwin of Roodhouse visited with friends in the city yesterday.

Get the S. H. trading stamps with shoes at Frost & Nolley's.

Miss Ann Donnelly of Kansas City is visiting with relatives and friends in the city.

T. B. Going of Hannibal was among the business men in the city yesterday.

Miss Lena Vannier of Neelyville was a business visitor with city friends yesterday.

John Schofield, the teacher of the public school at Alexander, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Abernathy of Concord were among the Saturday visitors in the city.

Miss Minnie Hazelrigg of Decatur was among the business visitors in the city Saturday.

There is nothing as practical as a Conklin Self Filling Fountain Pen. Gilbert's Pharmacy.

William T. Dunn and David Tuke of Joy Prairie were business visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Baptist of the northwest part of the county were in the city yesterday.

Misses Edna Cook and Lelia Galloway were visitors in the city yesterday from Murrayville.

Arthur Smith of the east part of the county was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. T. Suthard of Virginia was in the city yesterday on her way home from Lacine, Kansas.

The Inner Circle Bible Class will meet at the Old Peoples' Home Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Beaumeister of the Buckhorn neighborhood were visitors in the city yesterday.

J. H. Sevier and Charles Challans of Waverly were among the business visitors in the city Saturday.

A fine line of guaranteed razors at Gilbert's Pharmacy.

J. J. Clark and Thomas Fozzard of the north part of the county were trading in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Calvin Snobby of Marshall, Mo., is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Rexroat in Literberry.

Arrivals in the city yesterday from Murrayville were William Hart, Harvey Cockrill, Miss May Koyne.

Mrs. J. E. Osborne of Murrayville came up yesterday to spend Sunday with her husband at Passavant hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover French and son Knowles, have returned from a week's visit in St. Louis with Mr. French's relatives.

Miss Matilda Richardson and Mrs. Fred Meoller were representatives of the east part of the county in the city yesterday.

Get a bottle of Gilbert's White Pine and Spruce and stop that cough. 25c. Gilbert's Pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Edison of Beardstown are in the city visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Edison of Bedwell street.

Miss Florence Watkins who has been for some time in Los Angeles, California, is at home in Chandlerville for a visit of a few weeks.

Lee Mason, Oscar Peavy, Edward Patterson and T. H. Cully all helped represent the northeast part of the county in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Train of Denver, Colo., are in the city for a visit with Mrs. Train's mother, Mrs. Emily C. Simms of West Lafayette avenue.

Mrs. Effie Hunter and daughter Miss Onida, of Galesburg were in the city Saturday and left over the Burlington for Girard to spend Sunday with relatives.

C. L. DePew was in Springfield Saturday attending the Sangamon County Bible School convention. He will spend the day at St. Joseph in the interest of the Christian bible school.

FORUM LITERARY SOCIETY PROGRAM AND ST. VALENTINE CELEBRATION

Many Enjoy Novel Entertainment Saturday Evening at High School —Negative Wins in Debate.

The Forum Literary Society held a regular meeting Saturday evening in the audience room of the high school followed by a Valentine Social which for its novelty of conception and wealth of pleasing features would be hard to surpass. After the program the guests were given the freedom of the building and no time was lost in joining in the good time celebration in honor of the February patron saint. The decorations were in keeping with the St. Valentine idea and the Valentine feature was present as well in the daintily prepared refreshments. The program which occupied the first portion of the evening consisted of short addresses by the outgoing and incoming presidents, the debate, a vocal solo and a dialogue. The debate resulted in an unanimous victory for the negative side.

After a few appropriate remarks by Miss Gladys Uzzell, the retiring president and Kenneth Berryman, the new head of the society and presiding officer of the evening, music began and those present joined in the Forum society song. Misses Dorothy Chipchase and Rachel Akers and Leonard Potter took the affirmative side of the debate and Miss Bernice Wood, Otto Phelps and Miss Isabel Woodman supported the negative. All three judges decided in favor of the negative on the question, "Resolved, that the policy of fixing the minimum wage by state boards is desirable." Uriel Goveia favored the audience with a vocal selection after which a portion of "Pickwick Papers" was given jointly by Roy Sorells and Bomen Thomason.

The students who had a part in giving the Valentine social were:

Policemen—Eugene Sutherd, Everett Reynolds, Richard Reynolds, Paul Wells, Charles Widmayer and Harrison Dickson.

Judges—James Haigh, Raymond Spears, Frank Merrill and Merle Reynolds.

Clerk of Cupidity—Shirley Strawn.

Professors of Proposalosity—Geo. Coe and Wallace Hembrough.

Goddess of Spoonology—Esther Davis.

The refreshments were served by the Forum girls of the Domestic Science department and consisted of perfection salad, ham sandwiches, cocoa and candy hearts. The decorations were in charge of Miss Agnes Rogerson, teacher of domestic art and the refreshments were prepared under the care of Miss Isabel Baldwin, head of the domestic science department. The social committee which had the entertainment in charge consisted of Miss Dorothy Black, Miss Esther Davis, Kenneth Berryman and Miss Gladys Uzzell.

OPENING DISPLAY OF LACES.

COMPLETE SHOWING OF QUAKER LACES, INCLUDING ALL WIDTHS FROM NARROW EDGINGS TO 27 INCH FLOUNCINGS, AND ALLOVERS TO MATCH, WHITE AND ECRU. VENICE AND CLUNY, VAL, TORCHON AND BABY IRISH, IN VARIOUS WIDTHS WITH GOOD SELECTION OF PATTERNS.

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A KEWPIE PARTY.

"A Kewpie Party" which succeeding in givine the Kewpie smile to those present, was an occasion much enjoyed by the members of the Junior Endeavor society of the Second Christian church on Saturday afternoon. Many interesting games were played and delicious refreshments were served.

The party was planned by the officers of the society of which Miss Genevieve Naithman is superintendent.

Silver Brand collars have Linocord buttonholes which are strain-resisting and keep the collar to its original size and set after continued wear and laundering. 2 for 25 cents. Sold by Frank Byrns' Hat Store.

CHINESE MISSION WORK.

A handsome booklet illustrating various missionary activities in China has been prepared by the authorities of Central Christian church for distribution this morning at the special "Go to Church Day" exercises. On the front is shown a picture of the hospital at Lu Chow Fu, China, supported by the church.

ALL THE LATE SPRING PLAID SKIRTS AND ALL THE NEW CLOTHS WITH TIER AND DRAPE EFFECTS ON SALE AT HERMAN'S COME IN AND SEE THEM.

HOME ECONOMICS ANNOUNCEMENT ILLINOIS WOMAN'S COLLEGE.

Childrens classes in cooking each at 10:30 Saturday morning each week. The class in sewing meets Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The cost of course of ten lessons in cooking is fifty cents, and course ten lessons in sewing the same. For farther information call the college office or Miss Churton, head of the department.

"Don't blame the laundry for collars wearing out so soon." Buy the Silver Brand and enjoy more comfort. The collars will outwear others. FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store shows over 50 styles.

PUTTING UP ICE.

Wesley Robertson of Prentice was putting up 8 inch ice yesterday. Fred Kitner and Jack Steinmetz of the same neighborhood finished storing ice yesterday. It was 7 inches thick.

Betty Wales Girls and Mr. Kidd I. W. C. Monday Feb. 16. 35c. Lambda Ma Society.

SHIPPED STOCK TO MARKET.

Walter Robertson of Prentice shipped a car load of splendid horses and mules to the St. Louis markets Saturday.

SOME BARGAINS THESE

Quality high enough to suit anybody, prices low enough to suit everybody—that's the Harmon way of bargain giving. We are offering some exceptional values this week—merchandise for your present winter needs, interspersed with goods you will require for early spring usage, making it a sale every woman can attend with profit.

50c Gents' Outing Flannel Gowns (large sizes) reduced to..... 35c
50c 27 and 36 inch Brocade Silks, this week at yard..... 36c
50c Boys' and Girls' Scout and Gauntlet Gloves for..... 35c

15c Crepes, 27 inches wide, this week at yard 10c

8 1-3 Standard Apron Ginghams, this week, at yard..... 7c

10c Unbleached Linen Crash, this week at yard..... 7c

50c Mercerized Damask, 64 inches wide, at yard..... 43c
39c Mercerized Damask, 58 inches wide, at yard..... 35c
50c Flannelette Skirts, this week for..... 35c
$1.19 and $1 White Waists (a broken lot) to close, each..... 45c

Pictorial Review Spring Fashion Book with one Pattern Free, for 25 cents.

Harmon's DRY GOODS STORE

Pictorial Review Spring Fashion Book with one Pattern Free, for 25 cents.

MRS. FRANCES BRAUN CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Has Reached the Eighty-Sixth Milestone of Life.

Mrs. Frances Braun, celebrated her 86th birthday, Saturday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Guthrie, 116 Park street, sixteen of her neighbors and old friends being present. The house was decorated in valentine novelties and colors and in the dining room where the splendid refreshments were served Mrs. Guthrie had made a unique center piece for the dining room table. It was a cake made in the shape of a boat, having masts and sails, of red hearts and stick candy. Whipped cream tinted green was around the cake to represent the water.

Not only did the guest of honor receive many sincere good wishes but also many pretty flowers of every description and other gifts including a postal card shower, many cards coming from a great distance. Mrs. Braun was pleasantly surprised by a visit from her son Edward S. Braun of Peoria.

Mrs. Braun is one of the pioneer residents of Jacksonville and has many friends here, which she has won by her sincere, unostentatious manner. Although above the four score year mark she enjoys unusually good health and there were none more happy in the company yesterday than she. May she live yet many years to be a benediction to her relatives and friends.

Men who know the satisfaction wearers of Silver Brand collars enjoy will wear no others. FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store shows more than fifty styles.

HAD HANDS FOZEN.

William Guthrie, an employe of the Chicago & Alton has the misfortune to freeze his hands two days ago. He has suffered no little pain from the bites.

PUBLIC SALE.

Lloyd Luckeman on A. L. French farm, Chapin, Feb. 19. Livestock, implements.

COMING!

GREAT ELKS MINSTRELS

Monday, Feb. 16th

at the

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The Best Show Ever

Positively the sensation of the season in this city. Remember the date and secure your seats. See posters for detailed progam.

Admission $1, 75c, 50c, 25c

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The Elks' Minstrel will be heard Monday night at the Grand Opera House and the following program has been arranged.

The Grand Opening—Entire company.

Song, "Mammy Jennie's Jubilee"—Percy Cherry.

Ballad, "If ever I forget you"—Harry P. Obermeyer.

Song, "He had to get out and get under,"—George Vasconcellos.

Solo, "The China Moon"—Mrs. George Orear.

Song, "You made me love you"—Marcy Osborne.

Ballad, "Because"—Julian Hall.

Song, "Waiting for the Mary Ann"—Harold Johnson.

The above will be intersperced with bright, snappy jokes and the finale will be by the entire company. The following is the personnel of the chorus: End men, Harold Johnson, Percy Cherry, George Orear, Marcy Osborne, George Vasconcellos, Everett Waters. Interlocutor, A. L. Bromley. Chorus, Homer Reid, Henry Rodgers, Dr. F. A. Norris, Wilfred Ayers, George Lukeman, Dr. Kingsley, Dr. Magill, Clarence Lukeman, H. Obermeyer, Murriel Cain, D. Weirich, A. Bramley, John Meany, Jack Reynolds, Julian Hall, Byron Graff, Paul Fritchey, Maurice Peckham, John K. Long, Joseph Brennan, William Gillham, Fred Hopper, David Estaque.

Second Part.

"The boys from Missouri," a big rag time musical act. Instruments used, violin, basoon, E flat clarinet, trombone, Mandolin, guitar and mouth organs, assisted by two of the most clever buck and wing dancers ever seen in Jacksonville. The Webb Trio will also be heard in this act. Personel—Trombone, Harold Johnson; E flat clarinet, Ivan Hawk; Basoon, Wilbur Jerries; Violin, Dudley Hitt; Mandolin, Will Ethridge; Guitar, I. Hawk. Trio, Duff Miller, Will Ethridge, Harvey Bruner, buck dancer; Charles Hauser; Eccentric dancer, Ernest Hauser.

The Apollo four as presented by Arthur Hammerstine in their farce, "On a New York street corner." Personnel—First tenor, G. W. Vasconcellos, bootblack; second tenor, H. P. Obermeyer, city sport; first bass, Percy Cherry, news boy; second base, Murice Peckham, policeman.

Third number—Will be something out of the ordinary in a novelty girl act entitled, "Mammy Jennie's School Days," including singing, good comedy and dancing. Personnel—Teacher, W. W. Schrag; students Helen Obermeyer, Olive Smith, Irene Spears, Deane Obermeyer, all of whom will sing some catchy songs.

CITY AND COUNTY

Felix Gordon of Murrayville was a city caller yesterday.

Walter Wheeler was in the city yesterday from Sinclair.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Jackson spent yesterday in Jacksonville.

Scott Sweeney left this morning on a business trip to Chicago.

Clarence Read of Franklin was among the visitors in the ity yesterday.

Thomas Garvey of Roodhuse was among the Saturday visitors in the city.

George Weakly is the guest of friends in the Prentice neighborhood.

William Redshaw of Baylis was transacting business in the city yesterday.

W. E. Keenan of Alexander was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Charles Watson was a city visitor yesterday from the Asbury neighborhood.

Mrs. E. B. Miller of Mason City was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

O. F. Pfetzing of Havana was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Miss Grace McAllister of Woodson was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Gregory Tyndall of Antioch neighborhood was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

C. A. Reid of Beardstown has returned home after a visit with the family of C. E. Williamson.

Hugh McGuire of North Main street returned Saturday from Sinclair where he was the guest of relatives.

Miss Margaret Harney and Miss Viola Duncan expect to leave Monday morning for Chicago to study the styles in spring millinery.

E. E. Bavington left this morning on the Hummer for Chicago to visit his son, Lee, who is ill in a hospital there. He was accompanied by James McGinnis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lyon of Carthage, Ill., are spending a few days in the city as guests of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Rhea of Kentucky street. Mrs. Lyon is a sister of Mrs. Rhea.

Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Williams, formerly of South Clay avenue, who have been spending the winter in Florida, are now at Daytona Beach. They expect to be at their home in Alton, Ill., about March 1.

Reserve seats early Monday a. m. at the box office which will be opened at 9 o'Clock, for the Elks' Minstrels. Some good seats left.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Judge at the primary election to be held March 24, 1914.

Francis E. Baldwin.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Lucian H. Simon, Galafia, Ill.; Claude Parks, Harrisburg, Ill.

Ralph A. Megginson, Woodson; Ruth Hembrough, Jacksonville.

Albert G. Siebenmann, Jacksonville; Maggie K. Bardenhagen, Jacksonville.

CHARGES AGAINST THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

(From the New York Evening Post)

The Associated Press is to be congratulated upon the attacks made on it. Only a few weeks ago it was libelled by the Masses, for which the editors are to answer in court; and today it is the Sun that has carried out its oft rumored intention of asking for a prosecution under the Sherman anti-trust law. It has so long been the habit of irresponsible congressmen to assail the Associated Press upon the ground that is is a news trust, or monopoly, that, as a member of the Associated Press, the Evening Post heartily welcomes a review of its activities by the law officers of the government. We do not know of a single member of this association who would wittingly violate the law of the land or who would not be glad to be informed of anything done in contravention of the statutes. If by these attacks the integrity of its news service and its faithful observance of the law can be established in minds of certain agitators and libellers, a great gain will have resulted, if only by reassuring the public as to a chief source of its news supply.

So far as the Sun's complaint is concerned, it does not seem to us worth the paper upon which it is written. Many of the facts and letters it prints today relate to a totally different organization—an Illinois corporation which has been in existence since 1900. The present Associated Press, let it be said once more, is a membership corporation, comprised of certain papers banded together for mutual co-operation. It is not a profit making concern, for it seeks and makes no profits; it has no stock upon which to pay dividends, and does not pay interest on the bonds, which are held by certain participating newspapers. It does not even sell news, but delivers its news at cost to members and subscribers. No one can buy its news over the counter. The Sun tried it and was informed that it must seek membership. That it has not applied for such membership is a ppint of obvious interest in the connection with its present application to the attorney general. The Associated Press officials are responsible to the membership of over 800 newspapers and from them is drawn the news of the country. If as the Masses charged, the Associated Press is merely a sewer into which are poured lies, falsifications, and misrepresentations, of conditions among the working people of this country, then the indictment lies against the 800 associated newspapers. As a matter of fact, it is to the interest of every one of them to keep the service accurate and fair.

As for the Sun's complaint that the Associated Press is a monopoly, the simple answer is that it has keen and effective competition by the United Press, to which many Associated newspaper subscribe in addition to carrying the Associated Press news. There are other services to which a newspaper owner may turn for news, such as the Sun or Laffan and Hearst service. But the Sun also complains that it and others are unjustly excluded from the Associated Press. If they are, it is plainly not a complete monopoly; but should all those not members, be taken in, as the Sun seems to desire, it could then be attacked as the perfect monopoly which the Sun is so anxious to prevent. As a matter of fact news is free, and can be obtained by any one or any group of newspapers with the means to seek it. Who could monopolize the sending of news from London or Paris to New York? The thing is unthinkable so long as cable companies are public service corporations, compelled to accept any decent telegram offered them.

Should the courts hold that a membership corporation must admit to its ranks any one seeking entrance there would be an end to all clubs, co-operative and mutual benefit associations. It may be that the right of local veto which keeps some applicants out of the Associated Press has been too rigidly adhered to; but in such case there is possible an appeal to the whole membership at its annual meeting in April, and this appeal has frequently been resorted to. It is hard to see how the Sherman anti-trust law applies in these premises. Not only can all who desire organize competition against the Associated Press, but if they do so they can get telegraph facilities from the companies at the same rates as the Associated Press, into the same towns and cities through the same territory. Moreover, anybody can withdraw from the association on six months' notice and the public can be sure that there would be withdrawals in numbers in one-quarter of the allegations agains the Associated Press were true. Again, any newspaper which offends against accuracy and truth by imposing falsehoods upon the Associated Press can be expelled from the association or suspended; the right to fine for breach of confidence in the releasing of news is kept in use. In fact, the Associated Press can live only as it is efficient and honest in its service to its members.

If there is anything of a monopoly in the Associated Press it would seem as it is could only be met by a ruling of the supreme court or a new law declaring that press associations whose traffic is across interstate boundaries must be regarded as common carriers. This, we believe, would remeody nothing, for it would render chaotic the newspaper business, lay every established newspaper open to blackmailing competition and would in no wise improve the news service, but probably injure it.

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JUDGE BALDWIN'S CANDIDACY.

Judicial elections should be as far removed from partisan politics as is possible. Having this in view our legislators have provided that elections for the judges of our courts should be chosen at elections separate and apart from those at which other officials are chosen. The intent is to keep the judiciary free and untrammeled so that the highest ends of justice may be accomplished.

In every political contest there is always a selfish end to be considered and in the special election to be held on March 24 it appears to the Journal that the interest of Morgan county and the seventh judicial district warrant it in urging its Democratic readers to support former County Judge F. E. Baldwin for the nomination to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Judge Thompson to become a member of the State Utility commission.

For many years Morgan county has had a resident judge; the election of Judge Baldwin is the only assurance of the continuance of this long established and reasonable custom.

Lest it may be overlooked, it is deemed necessary to call attention to the fact that the primary election will be held five weeks from next Tuesday, on March 24. It is only possible to elect a Democrat from this district. If Morgan county should lose the circuit judgeship it is to be hoped local Democrats will see that they are held blameless.

At the present time the inconvenience of being without a judge is being experienced. Cases are now awaiting settlement all for the want of a circuit judge. Lawyers are helpless and clients are impatient because it was impossible to get orders before Judge Thompson resigned.

Judge Baldwin is well qualified for the place. He is the same age as was Judge Shirley when he went upon the bench. He has been familiar with our courts for eighteen years. Six of these were spent as a court reporter in Macoupin county and for more than twelve years he has been in the active practice of the law. On examination of the dockets of the courts in which he has appeared will be found the highest testimonial to his ability.

But the important consideration for Morgan county is the selection of a resident circuit judge. Its court business, its location, the qualification of its candidate should bring to pass Judge Baldwin's nomination, which is equivalent to election.

ON VARIED THEMES.

Suggests a Memorial.

"Any why don't you suggest in your paper that someone buy the plant of the Jacksonville Water Works Company at Bluffs and present it to the city?" said a well-known citizen yesterday. Continuing he said: "Such a gift would immortalize the giver. I am proceeding on the theory that the plant is to be sold at public auction a little later on and that possibly someone may buy it at a very reasonable figure. I am assuming too that if the plant belonged to Jacksonville that it would not be difficult for the city to raise the funds to build a pipe line connecting the plant with the city. This in my opinion would solve the water question for all time and would make it certain that the Jacksonville supply would be ample and permanent." And so the suggestion is herewith made and all that remains is for some public spirited citizen who wishes to leave a memorial to Jacksonville to make the aforesaid purchase and then present it to Jacksonville. The suggestion of this gentleman need not be accounted in any way as a reflection upon the Widenham and Daub wells, for it is now conceded that the wells have done and are now doing a great service for Jacksonville.

Waiting for City Warrants.

At the regular session of the city council Monday the tax levy ordinance will no doubt be given a second hearing and it will not be many days thereafter until funds will be available for paying a great many back bills against the city. In fact all bills filed up to January 1st, will soon be given consideration which means that warrants will be ready as soon as it is legally possible for the city to anticipate the taxes for this year. From receipts from the water department and from some other sources it has been possible for the city to meet the pay roll of employees for 9 or 10 months and to pay a few scattering bills. Most people however, who sell to the city do so with the understanding that the bill will not be paid until the January or February following the time of purchase.

It is worthy of note in this connection that the mayor and four commissioners of the city have not fared as well as the employes for it is a fact that for the year 1913 they have not drawn a penny of their salaries. By agreement they gave the preference to employes and to other creditors of the city so that more funds would be available for handling the city's business. It goes without saying therefore that they are as eager as are others for the legal day to arrive when the taxes can be anticipated.

Filing Bills Twice.

The fact that Jacksonville like a great many other cities cannot meet its current indebtedness promptly no doubt accounts for the fact that merchants and others in filing claims against the city quite frequently duplicate such claims. This may happen because the merchant files a bill early in the year and when he runs over his accounts a few months afterwards forgets that the bill has been filed and hurries to end one down to the city hall in order to have it in line for payment when the "city's ship comes in." Be that as it may, Mr. Knollenberg, commissioner of accounts and finances, in checking over bills on file and in getting them ready for early payment threw out over $4,000 of duplicated bills.

What is Worth While.

"To have bread excite thankfulness and a drink of water send the heart to God is better than sighs for the unattainable. To plow a straight furrow on Monday, or dust a room well on Tuesday or kiss a bumped forehead on Wednesday is worth more than the moral ecstatic thrill under Sunday preaching. Spirituality is seeing God in common things, and showing God in common tasks."

THE COUNTY AND THE CROPS.

During recent years A. M. Masters who is now one of the most extensive farmers in Morgan county has paid a great deal of attention to the advances made in agricultural methods. He has kept in touch with the most recent books, affecting agricultural conditions in Illinois and is a constant reader of current publications along the same lines. Mr. Masters believes that Morgan county is getting behind other counties of like fertility and where similar soil conditions exist. "I am convinced", he said yesterday "that we farmers of Morgan county are not doing all we could for ourselves or for the county as a whole. In some lines of work we are years behind what has been done elsewhere and I really believe that the time of awakening should not be longer delayed. For example, just in the neighboring county of Sangamon, farmers and others have joined with the Springfield Commercial Association in securing a soil and crop expert in the hope of bettering farm conditions all over Sangamon county. Now the land in Morgan county is equally as good and I believe that the people here are just as smart and by applying the same methods we can get equally as good results.

"The securing of the soil expert is not the only thing by any means that has been done in Sangamon in this line. You will remember that late last summer a automobile train made trips to every precinct in the county to emphasize the value of alfalfa as a profit paying crop and as a soil builder. That was only one of various things which the farmers and other business men of that county have done to increase the interest in the study of better agriculture and to bring to pass better crop conditions. Much has been done to show the needs and advantage of diversified farming, of the close relationship existing between stock raising and successful grain farming. The result shown on the average Morgan county farm during the past few years, is sufficient evidence of the fact that improved and better methods are needed here. I should like to be one of a group of men to join in securing a crop and soil expert or adviser and to join in any other movement which may help better our farm conditions."

Mr. Masters is so genuinely interested in this big question that from purely selfish motives he has arranged to have Mr. Frank Mann come to Jacksonville within a few weeks and meet the tenants on the Masters' farms along with a few others. It is likely that when Mr. Mann comes to Jacksonville that the men he is to meet will be entertained at dinner at the Masters' home and then Mr. Mann will talk informally about soil conditions in Illinois and will tell something of what he has done on his farm near Gilman. Then there will be an opportunity for a full discussion of questions of interest and any one in the little gathering will be enabled to bring up any point on which he wishes advice or enlightenment.

Mr. Mann has for years been known as a successful farmer and as a soil expert. He is the author of a book on the "Making of the Soil," and his large farm near Gilman is said to be a model and to produce splendid financial results by the application of modern methods of farming. Mr. Mann is a firm believer in the use of alfalfa, clover, lime stone and phosphates and by the use of these things he has been able to maintain the fertility of the soil on his farm and yet each year produce crops which have a right to the term "bumper."

Another matter in which Mr. Masters is interested just now is the possibility of securing an experimental farm for Morgan county. It is known that one or more farms are soon to be located in the state and it is understood that there will be considerable rivalry in securing them. The plan used to be to lease a plot of 20 acres for a period of ten years but now the state requires that such plots of ground shall be deeded to the state in fee simple. It is not possible for one person, or a small group of persons to acquire such land and then deed it to the state for the feeling exists that the best results can only be attained when a large number have taken an interest in the matter and have displayed this interest by making contributions toward the necessary expense.

Mr. Masters believes, and he is not alone in this opinion that the funds could be secured in Morgan county for the establishment of an experimental farm here. Certain it is that too much can not be planned for, too much can not be planned ed for the upbuilding of farming in Morgan county. As agricultural conditions improve in this county so will general business conditions in Jacksonville, and all the towns of the county be better.

MR. AND MRS. J. HERMAN LEAVE TONIGHT FOR NEW YORK CITY TO COMPLETE THEIR PURCHASES OF READY TO WEAR GARMENTS AND MILLINERY.

COLLEGE OF MUSIC NOTES.

Director and Associate-director Swarthout played the first movement of the C minor Sonata, by Grieg at the Woman's club Saturday.

Roland Kiel played a group of piano solos at the dramatic entertainment at Ebenezer church Wednesday night.

The students' recital of Thursday was of unusual merit.

Miss Helen Jones sang at the morning service on the Day of Prayer.

Owing to illness, Mrs. Woltmann has resigned from the choir at Grace church, and Miss Beebe has accepted the position.

The Belles Lettres Quartette sang in a very acceptable manner at Grace church last Sunday evening. The quartette is composed of the Misses Fenton, Ima Berryman, Nina Slaten and Helen Jones.

Miss Hattie Walker, a former graduate in voice from the College of Music, spent the week end with friends and sang at the Y. W. C. A. meeting Sunday afternoon.

On Tuesday last the Misses Schirz and Jacobs played one movement each from two of the better known of the Beethoven sonatas.

Friday Miss Beebe gave the class part of her lecture recital on German lieder, confining her illustrations to the songs at Schubert. The remainder of the lecture will be given at a later date.

Associate-director Swarthout has organized his Teachers' Training Class, and it has its first meeting Friday last.

HOWDY PAP.

Members of Athens Lodge No. 1422 L. O. O. M. are requested to attend the regular meeting Monday, Feb. 14.

Geo. W. Imgrund, Dictator.
H. Herring, Secretary.

BISHOP WILLIAMS SAILS FOR EUROPE

New York Feb. 14.—Rt. Rev. G. Mott Williams, Episcopal bishop of Marquette Mich., sailed for Italy today to fulfill his duties as presiding bishop over the American Episcopal churches of Europe, to which office he was appointed by the general convention last October in Naples. Rome, Florence, Munich, Dresden, Paris and a number of other leading cities on the continent.

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CITY AND COUNTY

H. J. Rogers was a business visitor in Carlinville yesterday.

Mrs. Richard Glenn of Keokuk is visiting friends in the city.

W. E. Murray of Literberry was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Ruth Greene of White Hall was a caller on city people yesterday.

Vernon Braner, was a Saturday visitor in the city from Concord.

Miss Ada Glenn of Ashland was among the city shoppers yesterday.

Dr. C. E. Scott was a professional visitor yesterday in New Berlin.

Ernest Henry of Franklin was among the Saturday visitors in the city.

B. W. Vannier of Bluffs was in the city yesterday transacting business.

James Cooper of Concord was a business caller in the city Saturday.

H. S. Cully of Sinclair was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Sebastian Kumle of Alexander was attending to business in the city Saturday.

Samuel Bridgman of Joy Prairie was in the city yesterday attending to business.

Richard Leake was a visitor in the city yesterday from the Bend neighborhood.

Mrs. E. W. Crawford has returned form her winter home at Sarasota, Florida.

Henry Richardson was a visitor in the city yesterday from the Lynnville neighborhood.

E. G. Dewees was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday from the Joy Prairie neighborhood.

Wellington Mayfield of Chicago is visiting home folks in the Lynnville neighborhood.

D. E. Coultas was among the city visitors yesterday from the Murrayville neighborhood.

Lloyd Brown returned yesterday to Urbana to continue his studies at the University of Illinois.

Mrs. George Roach has returned to her home in Literberry after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Earl Cox of Savage station.

Edward Braun of Peoria is spending Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Frances Braun and sister, Mrs. Geo. C. Guthrie and husband.

Miss Lillian Havenhill of Bloomleaves her mother considerably imparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Havenhill of West State street.

Mrs. W. H. Stallings was expected home last evening from a trip to Chicago, St. Louis and other places where she has been to buy goods.

Fred Carriel in the employ of the Westinghouse Electric company was expected in the city last evening to spend Sunday with his mother and sister, Mrs. W. D. Roberts on West College avenue.

Mrs. George Holmes, who was called here two weeks ago by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Keziah Stockton of the Literberry neighborhood, returned Saturday to her home in Kirksville, Mo. She lyeaves her mother considerably improved.

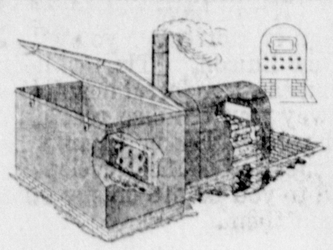
Prof. J. H. Rayhill has returned from Chambersburg where he went to visit granddaughter, Mrs. Huber and husband and their fine young son.

O. H. Cook has returned from a trip to Chicago and Wisconsin and while away he bought a car load of wood working machinery for the south side planing mill.

Rev. C. L. Caywood left yesterday for Union, Cass county, where he is to conduct a protracted meeting. This winter he has held three similar meetings with success.

Miss Laura Tunnell and Helen McBride of Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie expected to start last evening for Chicago to remain a number of days the guests of Miss McBride's brother, John Jr.

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NEWSPAPER MEN HOLD MID-WINTER MEETING.

Pet Foibles and Vanities of Many Distinguished Guests are Disclosed for Mutual Edification—Range of Entertainment Provided is Wide.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Saint Valentine was the patron of the Gridiron Club at its mid-winter dinner tonight and in witty verse in delicate strain and in laughter-provoking caricatures sketches by famous cartoonists were the pet vanities and foibles of the many distinguished guests disclosed for mutual edification. The range of entertainment prvoided was wide, and at one time or another the diners were transported to Santo Domingo and Mexico; made interested spectators of picturesque inaugration ceremonies and admitted to the secrets of the war on trusts. The favorite policies of the new administration were exhibited in such garb as to startle at times the authors who were present in person.

A cabaret show comprised a scene of jollity and care-free gayety, as presented by the "Band of Hope, the most optimistic crowd of hopers ever gotten together, and introducing performers of world-wide fame, including Huerta, Uncle Joe, The Colonel, Charles Murphy, Miss Democracy, Mrs. Grundy, Dame Chance, and "Suffragette". Here the musical talent of the club round full opportunity as the various characters entered the show.

To the air of "Curse of an Aching Heart", Chief Murphy poured out his woes as follows:

"They made me think I was Big Chief,
"And I believed them, too.
"They told me things to swell my pride
And made me think them true;
"I played the game of politics,
"I backed my man and lost,
"And now I am a derelict,
"Alone I pay the cost."

The Colonel also appealed to the sympathies of the Band by a plaintive appeal in song to the air of "Take me Back."

"Take me back to your ranks once again, boys,
"Once again let me run the big show.
"Take me back and you never will lose me,
"For I am a winner, you know;
"I am tired of living outside the ramparts,
"You need ME just as I've need of you,
"Take me back and I'll always be true."

Mrs. Grundy indentified some of the "watchful waiters." There was Albert Jeremiah Beveridge "waiting for the people to appreciate true statesmanship." And John Lind "the original watchful waiter" who never gets tired of his job, though, "some other people do". Asked whether Lind was a visitor in Mexico, Huerta replied: "Visitor; He's a regular boarder."

Uncle Joe: "What is he doing down there?"

Huerta: "Me; I guess."

Uncle Joe: "Are you nearing the end of your resources?"

"Huerta: "Not a bit of it. The printing presses are working over time and the output of government bonds is good."

And then he burst into song to the air of "He Rambles":

"A year I've been President down in Mexico,
"But now an intimation comes that I will have to go.
"A kind friend on the north has stimulated this demand,
"Until I'm forced to think at last I will soon be canned.

"Oh, then I will ramble, ramble,
"I'll ramble all around,
"Till safety I've found.
"Oh, then I will ramble, ramble.
"I'll ramble, but not on my native ground."

In thrilling melodrama was told the story of the anti-trust plans of the administration, concluding with an impressive tableaux of the formal signature of the Constitution of Peace, putting to the test of merriment the policies and prospects of the dominant party. "Trusting the trusts," was the name of this melodrama and the purpose was disclosed in an eloquent prologue.

"Here then tonight we'll strive to make most clear,
"That busting trusts may go with kindly feeling.
"That sentiment and all that gives good-cheer,
"Are not apart from what once seemed raw-dealing.
"From busting trusts we turn to trust the trusts,
"Thus runs the new Wilsonian dispensation;
"A trust that's trusted; it no longer busts,
"Or in its heart can shelter that sensation."

The plot opened with Father Trust and Daughter Industry in hiding. Trust is startled at the likeness of Industry to her dead sister "Infant Industry" who was so beautiful that "her face looked like 85 per cent ad valorem."

Industry: "What happened to her?"

Trust: "The Democratic acid throwers got her."

Industry: "Did they get you, too?"

Trust: "No; bu tthey're after me with a poisoned needle. * * * The word trust is no longer respected except on a twenty dollar gold piece, and Roosevelt tried to take it off of that."

Enter McReynolds who makes advances to Industry, saying:

"I will clothe you in silks and deck you in diamonds," to which the girl replied:

"Never! I know your idea of clothes. You want every one to dress like the blind-folded lady with the scales."

Then McReynolds tempts the father, urging him to "dissolve the trusts; keep part of what you have and draw dividends without voting priviliges from the rest."

Trust: "What good will that do?"

McReynolds: "All the trust-busters in Congress will be put out of business. They will have nothing left to bust."

Finally under the fear of the mob, Trusts throws himself upon the mercy of the new Interstate Trade Commission—otherwise the "brothers Cheeryble" of the government and subscribes to their "constitution of peace" under which "the trusts come to our commission when they feel naughty, and we tell them how to be good."

On board the Battleship Friendship, was held an examination of a class of bluejackets by one of Secretary Daniels "young welfare workers" and here were some of the questions and answers:

"What is the chief aim of the Navy?"

"To knock out the kindergartens."

"What is naval strategy?"

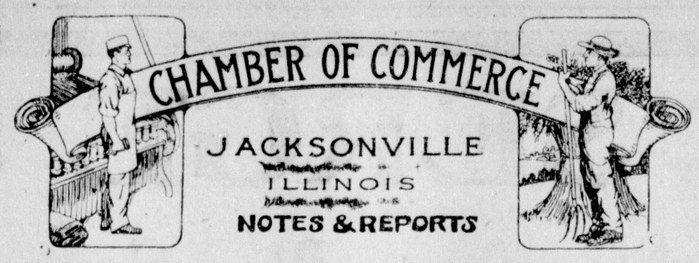
"Carrying John Lind from Vera Cruz to Pass Christian without letting anybody know it."

Following in the wake of the ship came an ancient, giving his name as "Apt Alliteration", which was no odder than "Woodrow Wilson, or Champ Clark, or Luke Lea, or Knute Nelson, or Tom Taggart, or Bill Barnes, or Swager Sherley". He was afraid his baby "Watchful Waiting" had been killed as the other poor "Dollar Diplomacy".

In a colorful picture illustrative of his ancestry, Ernest G. Walker, correspondent of the Boston Herald, and the Springfield Republican, was initiated into the office of President of the Gridiron Club, as a preliminary to much merrymaking. Broad-brimmed Puritians whose cognomens savored of Pilgrim's Progress, marched with plumed cavaliers of the Southland to do honor to the new president, who was significantly warned upon taking up his office that "the Gridiron Club stands for only one term."

It was in topical Santo Domingo that the Gridiron initiated its most recent accessions to membership in the persons of Ben F. Allen of the Cleveland Plain Dealer and Summer H. Curtis of the Chicago Record Herald. A change of scene effected while the lights were lowered disclosed a group of Dominican generals arranging for a presidential election, such as were usually held on Mondays and Thursdays. For this occasion an extra election was held on Saturday and the generals were playing "freeze out" for the nomination. To this the "observers" sent by the Washington State Department strongly objected and demanded the substitution of presidenitial primary system, but before their will could be enforced they were discovered to be two "molders of public opinion" so of course Washington newspapermen, and thus eligible to membership in the Club, which promptly adopted them.

Among those present at the dinner were Vice-President Marshall, Secretary Tumulty, Gov. Tener of Pensylvania; District Attorney Whitman, of New York; John D. Achbold; Mayor Newton D. Baker, of Cleveland; W. E. Corey, J. E. Dickinson, of London; John T. McCutcheon, William F. McCombs, John D. Rockefeller Jr., Thomas F. Ryan, Franklin D. Roosevelt, James Speyer, Finlay J. Shepard, Frank A. Vanderlip, Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, Attorney General McReynolds, Postmaster General Burleson and many senators and representatives.



Optimism prevails around the ChamberChamber of Commerce offices these days. As an organization we have much to be thankful for and with the program which has been mapped out for the coming year by the new officers, substantial results should be the reward of our efforts.

The important feature of President Reeve's policy will be on concentrate our forces on three or four important constructive pieces of work and consider all other subjects as secondary. He will confer Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock with the heads of the various departments and outline to them his plans.

Taylorville's Rest Room.

An accommodation for farmers and out of town shoppers has been provided through the instrumentality of the Retail Merchant's Association of Taylorville, Ill. The Court House is situated in the center of the square and in a spacious room next to the front entrance is a large rest room equipped with lounges, reclining chairs, reading tables, a cradle for small children and a lady attendant in charge all the time. The people of that town boast with much pride of this enterprise. We have been talking and conferring, and talking some more about fitting up the basement of the building in our square as a public comfort station. Oh, if we had some citizen that would take the initiative to get some action as well as agitation we would have this much needed improvement.

Our Traveling Men.

There are a great many commercial traveling men living in Jacksonville, who should be interested and active in the Chamber of Commerce. Other wide awake towns know the importance of getting enthusiasm of these "Road Boosters" stirred up with the other kinds of community spirit, and then altogether hammering away—the dead will be awakened, and the pessimistic sick will get well.

The Booster Club.

The Young Men's Booster Club will hold its annual meeting in the Chamber of Commerce Rooms Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. Ralph Dunlap, the president has appointed a committee to have the arrangements in charge and serve something good in the way of eats and smokes.

The Springfield Association.

The Commercial Association at Springfield is now financially well equipped. With a membership of eight hundred and forty the annual income from dues accounts to $2,0000 in addition to their other classes of income.

City Pavements.

A committee of business men who are members of the Grand Rapids Commercial association are working with the city administration to obtain more extensive street improvements.

Our Friends Entertain.

The Taylorville Retail Merchants' association extended to the Jacksonsonville Chamber of Commerce the courtesy of entertaining the Secretary at their annual meeting and banquet. He spoke on the subject of the "Benefit of a Commercial Organization to a City" which gave him the opportunity to boost Jacksonville and her organization.

Friendship.

The greatest thing on earth is to have friends and to have friends you must be friendly. The Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce is friendly to everybody who is in favor of bringing no disgrace or dishonor to their town. It affords the best medium for friendship because it is everybody's organization. It works to solve problems and advances the "community interests."

The Why and Wherefore.

In some instances, prominent citizens of Jacksonville when asked to join the Chamber of Commerce have said: "You will have to show me that the Chamber of Commerce is getting results before I will join."

It is only through the support and co-operation of Jacksonville citizens that the Chamber can get results. If everybody cared more about Missouri than about Jacksonville, there could be no Chamber of Commerce. It is your Chamber, and what you make it, it will be.

WOMAN'S COLLEGE NOTES.

Work in physical training under the direction of Miss Louise Robinson, is making rapid progress. A fencing class of fourteen has been organized and foils and other apparatus will be received within a few days. Work in preparation for the May Day drills will being in another week.

The new catalogue is in the hands of the printer, and will be issued before long. It contains a number of improvements in the various courses and should be of interest to a good many people.

The lectures by Edward Howard Griggs were greatly enjoyed. Mr. Griggs proved not only a speaker well informed on his subjects, but one who has a message. There has been a great demand among students, as well as patrons, to have him appear next year, in connection with the Artists' Course. Christine Miller will appear March 2 in recital. This will be the big voice number year in Jacksonville.

The classes in cooking and sewing for younger girls will meet as follows. The cooking class on Saturday morning at 10:30 and the sewing class on Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Ten lessons are given in each course.

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BIDS ARE ASKED.

The board of education of the city of Jacksonville desires sealed bids for supplying the public schools with two lathes, two saws, one grind stone, for use in the manual training department. Specifications for the same are on file in this office. Bids will be received until 12 o'clock noon Friday Feb. 23rd., the board reserving the right to reject any or all.

R. L. Pyatt, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE.

Lloyd Luckeman at A. L. French farm, Chapin, Feb. 19. Livestock, implements.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

Funeral services for Mrs. Harriet Crooks will be held at the late residence, 120 Chestnut street, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of Dr. A. B. Morey. Interment will be made in Diamond Grove cemetery.

The funeral of George F. Smith will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence, 502 South East street, in charge of Rev. G. W. Flagge, pastor of Centenary M. E. church. Interment will be made in Jacksonville cemetery.

Betty Wales Girls and Mr. Kidd I. W. C. Monday Feb. 16. 35c. Lambda Ma Society.

JUDGE COOK WILL OPEN COURT MONDAY.

Judge Cook of Beardstown notified Circuit Clerk E. D. Pyatt Saturday that he would convene court at nine o'clock Monday morning, February 16th, and adjourn at 11 o'clock to return to Beardstown and complete some cases on trial. He will return to Jacksonville the latter part of the week to hold court here while necessary.

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FOUNDATION GIVES A REPORT OF SCHOOLPROBE

ADVISES WITHDRAWAL OF VERMONT'S AID TO COLLEGES.

Carnegie Foundation Recommends That Money Be Turned Over to Public Schools—Devotes Long Time to Investigation.

New York, Feb. 14.—The first critical investigation of all the educational facilities of any state in the union has just been completed by the Carnegie foundation for the advancement of teaching. The state selected was Vermont, and the work was undertaken at the request of a committee of the state legislature, which desired to examine and improve its entire educational system.

Used Subsidies Unwisely.

A summary of the Foundation's report was made public today. One of the recommendations is the transfer to the public schools of the money that the state now gives to colleges. The University of Vermont, Middlebury College and Norwich University, no one of which is owned or controlled by the state, have recently received increasing state aid, a total of $20,000 a year in 1909; $50,000 in 1911, and $100,000 in 1913. The report recommends the withdrawal of these subsidies because Vermont cannot afford a regular state university; because it is unwise to give public money and public prestige to private corporations; because the colleges have not used their subsidies wisely, and because they got along very well before they were given state aid and it is evident that they will be cared for through private benevolence.

The report says that the University of Vermont neglected agriculture and used its appropriation for a medical school that can never be successful with the small amount of clinical material that is available in Burlington. Norwich University used its appropriation for engineering in a location and with an equipment far inferior to those of the University of Vermont. Middlebury College also used its appropriation for subjects already provided by the other institutions and for a department for training high school teachers, of which the state has already an oversupply. The effort to gain these subsidies from the legislature, moreover, according to the report, involved the institutions in an unfortunate educational and financial rivalry.

The public schools on the other hand, need money. They provide the entire education of more than nine tenths of the children in the state. Half of the teachers, however, have had no professional training and are paid only nine dollars a week or less. The report recommends that the state spend on the common schools what it now gives the colleges and as much more as it can afford, giving the teachers better training and better salaries; providing them with more aid and guidance through better supervision and a more helpful state of administration. It is recommended that the dozen training classes for teachers that were established in the high schools in 1910 be multiplied, so that every new teacher in the state shall be a high school graduate with professional training. These classes graduated more than a hundred such teachers last year, and soon will be able to supply the entire four hundred that the state needs annually. The two state normal schools, the abandonment of which is recommended, have provided less than a dozen such teachers each year.

Recommend Vocational Courses.

It is further recommended that the teachers, together with a new state commissioner of education, several deputy commissioners and a number of supervisors, gradually work out a new program of studies for the schools which, without interfering with its academic character, will relate it more closely to the daily life of its pupils. It is recommended that high schools include vocational courses; that there be special agricultural schools, and that the work of the State Agricultural College be made of greater value to the farmers. Further school consolidation, with transportation wherever necessary, it also recommended both for elementary and high schools, so that every community may be within reach of first rate schools instead of scattering its money and care among a large number that are inferior.

Referring further to the existing system in Vermont, the report says it is very good in many respects.

The governor recommended such a study as has been made by the Foundation to the legislature and the legislature, in November 1912, constituted an Educational Commission with Judge John H. Watson, of the Supreme Court, as chairman, and representative citizens like Theodore N. Vail, president of the American Telegraph and Telephone Company, and Frank H. Brooks, president of the Fairbanks Scale Company, and representative educators like Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, New York, as members. In February 1913, this commission asked the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching to undertake the study. Under the direction of its president, Henry S. Pritchett, a dozen members of the staff of the Foundation and specialists from Columbia, Harvard and Wisconsin Universities and from the United State bureau of Standards devoted six months to study in the field and an equal time to the examination and presentation of their records and suggestions.

JEWELERS CLOSE EARLIER.

Jewelers of the city have made an agreement to close their places of business at 8 o'clock on Saturday night, instead of 9 o'clock, as has been the rule heretofore. The new time for closing is to be effective May 1.

CHURCH SERVICES.

Westminster Presbyterian, Corner W. College avenue and Westminster street. L. H. Davis, minister. Bible school 9:30. Bible class for men at same hour. Morning worship 10:45. P. S. C. E. 6:45. Evening worship 7:30. The public cordially invited to all services.

Stafe Street Presbyterian church, Howard D. French, Minister. Morning service 10:45. Preaching by the pastor: "Extensive Harvests—Intensive Methods." Vesper services 4:30. The series of sermons on the Twenty-third Psalm will be concluded, the theme being from the last verse. Sunday school 9:30. Classes for all ages. Young People's meeting 5:30. The public is cordially invited to all the services of this church.

Northminster Presbyterian church—Preaching at 10:45 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school and Invincible class at 9:30. S. W. Nichols will teach the Invincible class Sunday morning. The Rev. Bell will preach morning and evening. Mr. Bell is a live wire and a coming young man in the M. E. church, he has a message and knows how to tell it, hear him. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Walter E. Spoonts, pastor.

Congregational church.—Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Brotherhood Bible class at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 10:45. Evening worship at 7:30. The pastor according to his custom will observe the Lincoln anniversary at the morning hour.

Central Christian Church, Clyde Darsie, minister. "Church Going Sunday" for the morning service commencing at 10:45 a. m. A special invitation has been sent out to all the members of the church to be present at this service. The building would be crowded if this could be done. Visitors will be welcome. Special music and a special sermon on the subject: "Why Go to Church?" A souvenir will be given at this service. Evening Worship at 7:30 p. m. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Prayer meeting at 6:30.

Brooklyn M. E. church.—The pastor Rev. W. W. Theobald will preach both morning and evening. "Life's Purpose" will be the subject at 10:45 a. m. and "The Way" at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. J. H. Reids, superintendent. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. The second quarterly conference will be held Feb. 27 at 7:30 p. m. A welcome is extended to all services.

Centenary M. E. church, G. W. Flagge, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., Albert C. Metcalf, superintendent. Sermon, 10:45 a. m., "Our Inheritance." Junior Epworth League, 2:30 p. m. Senior Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Sermon, 7:30 p. m., "Promotion." A cordial invitation is extended to all who will to come and worship with us

Salem Evangelical Lutheran church, East College street.—Rev. J. G. Kuppler, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Divine services in Germon at 10:30 a. m. There will be no evening service. The pastor will preach a special sermon in honor of the thirty-fifth anniversary of the Ladies' Aid society. All are welcome.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Services are held in the Huntoon building, 333 West State street, on Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject, "Soul." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. The reading room is open each week day from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m., where all the writings of Mary Baker Eddy and all of the publications of the society are for sale or perusal. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the reading room.

First Baptist—W. E. Mundell will preach 10:45 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Carl Weber, superintendent. B. Y. P. U., at 6:30 p. m. All are invited.

Mt. Emory Baptist—Rev. A. A. Russell, pastor. The revival meeting is now on and Sinners are asking for prayer. Rev. A. A. Russell will preach the first of his series of sermons at 11 a. m., from John 9-4, "Jesus and his Work," and at 8 p. m. from John 19-4, "No Fault to Find with Jesus." Sunday school at 2:30 as usual and the Woman's meeting at 7 p. m. The texts and subjects for the week will be: Monday evening, Math. 27-22, "Jesus on Trial"; Tuesday effvening, Gen. 7-1, "Jesus Offered to Sinner."; Wednesday evening, Luke 14118, "The Sinners Excuses"; Thursday evening, 1 Tim. 1-19, "The Sinners Ship-Wreck"; Friday evening, Rom. 7-24, "The Sinners Awful and Wretched State." The public is invited to these meetings. The singing will be appropriate and the minister will be glad to meet all.

Grace church—J. W. Miller, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30, Judge F. E. Baldwin, superintendent. Good music and a cordial welcome. Preaching service at 10:45. Subject: "The Lost Key." Every member of the church is urged to attend if possible. Junior league at 2:30. Class meeting at 3. Epworth League at 6:30. Peaching service at 7:30. Subject: "The Man of Nazareth Passed By." At both morning and evening services some fine musical numbers will be given by the choir. All are welcome.

Trinity church.—Next to the corner of West State and South Church streets. Rector and pastor, the Rev. H. R. Neely. Residence 120 South Church street. Phone 506 Illinois. Sunday services 7:30 and 10:45 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited. Members of colleges, state and civic institutions especially invited. Strangers and visitors in our city are urged to be present and let us make them feel they are welcome. Sunday school and Bible class 9:30. All young people invited. Good music at both morning and evening services. Sermon subjects: morning, "Sympathy with the Weak," 2nd Corinthians 11-29; evening, "Within the Cup," Saint Matthew 23-26.

CONSERVATION OF GAME.

F. J. Dowell, of Franklin has received a circular letter from the state game and fish conservation board, appealing to all to protect game of all kinds during one stormy inclement season. It says: "Having in mind such terrible storms as are at present sweeping over the country and having in mind the policy of establishing fish and game preserves in keeping with this policy, today call upon all sportsmen, farmers and all people interested in the care of game to take whatever steps they can in feeding and sheltering game of all kinds. An hour a day, especially who know places frequented by quail and other game birds, will preserve many. A little feed available will save more quail and other game than is killed by all sportsmen in a year.

"The commision desires all to give as much publicity as possible to this request, believing that all are interested in the aims of the state commission for conserving fish and game.

C. J. Dittmar,
Henry V. Metteran,
O. B. Vaughn.
Commissioners.

ROBERT REDDING TAKEN TO INSANE HOSPITAL

By order of the court "Bob" Redding whose wife a few days ago attempted to take her life, was committed to the Jacksonville State hospital temporarily, pending an examination of his sanity. It is understood that Redding made threats against his wife and against his children, saying that he would kill the whole family. Acquaintances of the family assert that he has been acting "queerly" for several days. It was thought the safest course to pursue to place him at the hospital for examination.

FINE ADDITION TO SHERMAN SCHOOL FURNITURE

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SATURDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.

Met at noon.

Continued discussion of a resolution to compel the Louisville & Nashville Railroad to furnish certain information to the interstate commerce comimssion.

Adjourned at 2:44 p. m. at news of death of Senator Bacon, until noon Monday.

House.

Met at noon.

Debated the Indian Appropriation bill,.

Naval committee considered appointment of a commission to investigate the subject of a naval armor plant.

Adjourned at 3:55 p. m. in respect to the memory of the late Senator Bacon until noon Monday.

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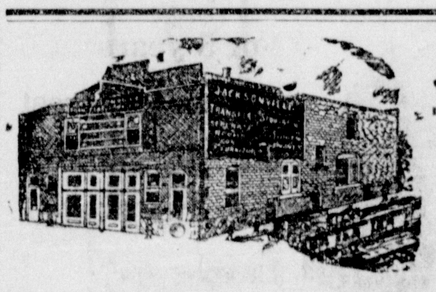
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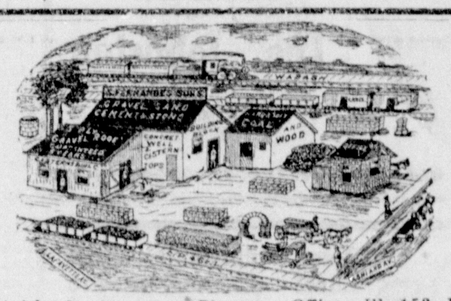
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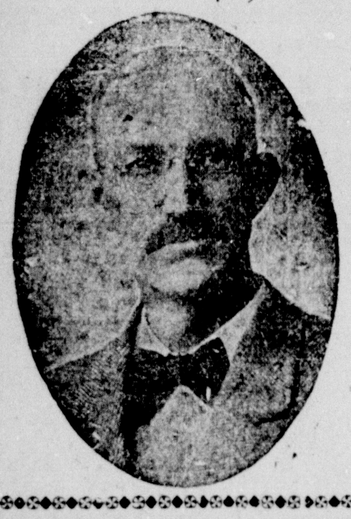
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WOMAN'S CLUB HOLDS MEETING

MRS. DOW HEARD IN SPLENDID ADDRESS.

President of State Federation Tells of Work and Future Plans of Organiatzion—Many Guests From Out of City Present.

A large audience assembled at Academy Hall yesterday afternoon to observe President's Day. After the reading of the minutes several notices were read, among other an invitation from the members of the D. A. R. to attend the dedication ceremony on Feb. 23rd at the court house, when a tablet will be erected to the memory of the Revolutionary soldiers of Morgan county.

The Messrs. Swarthout then favored the audience with the first movement of the Sonata in C (Greig.) Mrs. Havenhill then introduced Mrs. Dow the president of the State Federation, guest of the club for the day.

"The State Federation."

Mrs. Dow's subject was "The State Federation" and she introduced her subject by telling a little of the work of the general Federation organized 24 years ago by Sorosis of New York. A federation which is more than a national federation, taking in clubs from Berlin, Japan and even the Philippines. She spoke of her great desire that the State Federation should grow in numbers during her two years tenure of office. The power of the federation in pushing through bills in our legislature which are of benefit to women, children and dependents is greater than we appreciate. One member of the legislature wrote "For heaven's sake, Mrs. Dow, withdraw your letters (in regard to the establishment of an epileptic colony.) Of course we will not oppose the bill. We should not dare to go home if we did."

Art Work of Federation.

The art work of the federation is growing. The "view days" at the art institute were the outcome of similar work begun by the woman's clubs. The federation claims that it gives back to the clubs more than it receives. The civic department has done much in the way of using the public schools as social centers, especially in the poorer quarters of Chicago. The life of club workers is founded on service. We are planning especially some work for the rural school houses along the line of social service.

The chairman of the education department is a woman who is especially interested in vocational training and is striving to have it introduced where most needed. We have 13 departments now and it would take an afternoon to tell of the work of each. The pure food and home economics committees have been combined. If you can get for Jacksonville the pure food exhibit which is sent out by the pure food commission you will do very well and learn much.

Conservation Department.

The conservation department is working for good roads, purchase of a state park, etc. Library extension work is doing great good. All but 7 of the 102 counties of Illinois, have public libraries. We who have the advantages of city life should be glad to aid our sisters who are trying to do the same work without these advantages.

The Legislative Committee endeavors to be sure and safe. To endorse only those bills which are worthy of consideration, not to cheapen our power by endorsing too many bills. One thing accomplished in 1913 was the erecting of a tablet in memory of the soldiers of 1812. Every club should have a legislative committee. Even if the club does no active work the report of the acts of the legislature during its sessions would be of great value.

Any member of any federated club may write Mrs. Mary I. Wood of Portsmouth, N. H., for any information, references, etc, (and enclosing a stamp.)

Tribute to Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. Dow paid a glowing tribute to Mrs. Constance Barlow Smith, whom Jacksonville still claims as her own. We are asking our clubs to give one afternoon a year to Illinois music.

In Chicago much is being done to censor moving picture films, and yet so long as we have no state laws, no federal laws, it is impossible to accomplish much. One set of films which was suppressed in Chicago went to Mt. Vernon and ran for a week. There is so much of good in the many films which have educational value that it is a great pity not to be able to take out the poor ones.

This district has done the best work in the line of public health. This is because you have such women as Dr. Milligan, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Curry here. Cook county has made tuberculosis a reportable disease and we wish every county would do likewise. The state survey is not complete but through the desire of the women to help each other it will surely be done. In the weaving districts of England they have nearly eradicated the disease by taking a survey and educating people to take proper precautions. If we do not work for health, home and happiness, our work counts for nothing.

Philanthropy Work.

Our philanthropy work is largely along the line of "the girl." The contract for the cottage at Park Ridge school has been let, the funds having been raised by the efforts of the federation and by fall we hope to be taking care of 16 girls, probably all of them from outside of Cook county.

Endowment Fund.

The Endowment fund for the general federation is a great necessity. Illinois is responsible for $7,000 of this fund. All but $400 of this sum has already been raised and we hope by June all of it will be in.

For the biennial meeting in June we will require at least $15,000. A large part of this will be needed for rental, printing, etc. The Chicago Association of Commerce has promised to help and the hotels are being most liberal. The Hotel La Salle has invited all Illinois women to make their headquarters there. The federation was invited not by Chicago alone but by the whole State of Illinois.

Three Thoughts Necessary.

Sarah Platt Decker aptly said that all club workers should carry with them three thoughts: first, we should have the prophetic eye, looking forward to what we can do; second, we must have patience with failures and third we must co-operate with the men.

We learn by working we receive more than we give and we must give out to others less fortunate than ourselves all that we can. I feel confident that the Jacksonville Woman's club will ever be ready to do its share.

Many Guests Present.

The Jacksonville Club was fortunate in having as guests beside Mrs. Dow, Mrs. Smoot of Petersburg and Mrs. Curry of Mt. Sterling. In addition there were a number present from country clubs, notably Orleans and Ashland. A pleasant social hour was enjoyed by all and every one felt it to be an unusually pleasant meeting.

TAXES TAXES

Taxes are now due and payable at the sheriff's office. Bring your last year's receipt or a complete description of your property when making payment.

W. B. ROGERS,
Sheriff and Collector.

READY FOR BUFFUM POISON TRIAL

Little Valley, N. Y., Feb. 14.—A special term of the Supreme Court is to convene here Monday for the trial of Mrs. Cyntha Buffum and Ernest Frahm on charges of murder in the first degree for the poisoning of the woman's husband, Willis Buffum, by means of arsenic mixed with his food. The trial promises to attract wide attention. Much indignation has been aroused against the accused persons by the fact that the victims of the alleged poison plot included two of Mrs. Buffum's children as well as her husband. Mr. Buffum died on August 27 last. In the preceeding May a four-year-old son died. Laura, a twelve-year-old daughter, lied two weeks ago after a lingering illness of many months. Four other children of the Buums were ill, but recovered.

At the time of her indictment and arrest, Mrs. Buffum made a confession to District Attorney George W. Cole, in which she is alleged to have admitted placing poison in the food prepared for the family. Her motive, it is alleged, was to get her husband out of the way so that she would be free to marry Ernest Frahm, a young farm hand, who was indicted jointly with her on a charge of murdering Buffum.

CLARKS CHAPEL SOCIAL.

The social given Wednesday evening by the Ladies' Society of Clarks Chapel at the home of the president Miss Anna McDonald was well attended and a neat sum was realized from the supper.

During the evening a program commemorating Lincoln's Birthday was rendered as follows:

Song—Battle Hymn of the Republic.

Piano solo—Mrs. J. G. Cox.

Reading—Lincoln's Gettsburg and Farewell Addresses—Mrs. Elmer Nicholson.

Vocal solo—Frances Cox.

Duet—Sing Me to Sleep—Mrs. Austin King and Miss Eva Baxter.

Reading—O Captain! My Captain; Walt Whitman, Mrs. Edward Deaton.

Piano Duet—Miss Baxter and Mrs. Cox.

Sketch of Abraham Lincoln—Mrs. P. D. Trotter.

Piano solo—Dance of the Demons, Miss Baxter.

BROWNS OFF FOR FLORIDA.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 14.—An initial push was given the base ball season today with the departure of a squad of the St. Louis Browns for the spring training camp at St. Petersburg, Fla. Manager Rickey was in charge of the party, which included more than a dozen of the young players. The veterans will follow in about ten days and by the first of this month it is expected that the entire list of players reserved by the club will be on duty and ready for the warming-up practice. The club will remain at St. Petersburg for several weeks and will then play exhibition games through the South and central West until the championship season is opened in April.

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L. V. BALDWIN IS NAMED COUNTY ROAD SUPERINTENDENT

Has Already Entered on Duties and Will Take Charge of County Roads in Accordance With Tice Law.

The Morgan County Board of Commissioners yesterday settled the question of a county superintendent of roads by employing L. V. Baldwin of the Jacksonville Engineering company for that position. Several weeks since the board made arrangements for Mr. Baldwin to take the examination which is proscribed by the State Highway Commission and it was generally understood at that time if he qualified that he would later receive the appointment. There was no doubt as the general qualification of the candidate but in compliance with the law examination was necessary.

Success Depends on Local Support

Mr. Baldwin entered upon his duties yesterday and in conversation satted that he is in readiness to undertake any work which presents itself as speedily as possible. The state law outlines the general duties of county road superintendents but the absolute work which the superintendent accomplish depends largely upon local conditions. The newly appointed superintendent is desirous of co-operating not only with the county board but with the commissioners in the various road districts, for he realizes that only by a harmonious line of endeavor can the best results be obtained for road improvements.

Dragging Roads Important.

The question of permanent roads that is stone roads, in which the state will give aid is by no means the most important work which the superintendent will face. At the very best it will take many years before any extended amount of stone highway is built in the county and meanwhile the duties of the superintendent and of the various road authorities will be to make the roads as good as possible with the funds and facilities at hand. During the last year or two people have come more to the realization of what dragging will do for country roads and there has been a greater amount of road dragging this winter than was ever true before in the county. However, there remains a vast amount of progress to be made in this line and it is entirely likely that under Mr. Baldwin's direction there may be still more extensive road dragging in this county.

Bridge and Drainage.

There is a good deal of work too which needs doing in the line of road drainage and the question of culverts and bridges of a permanent type is also one of large importance. Mr. Baldwin came to Jacksonville several years ago from Baxter Springs, Kansas, and for two and one half years was in the employ of the late Charles W. Brown. After Mr. Brown's death he became associated with E. M. Henderson and Charles Harney as the Jacksonville Engineering company and the company has been doing a growing and prosperous business. Altogether Mr. Baldwin has had eight years practical experience in engineering and he is certainly well qualified for the position to which he has just been named. It is also true that the position presents great possibilities and if he can take the lead in a large movement for bettering road conditions in Morgan county he will have accomplished an undertaking of vast importance. The office of the superintendent will be with the Jacksonville Engineering company in the city hall building.

Mr. Baldwin's salary will be $1200 per year.

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George W. Koon, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful benefit for rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, had to be lifted for two months. She began the use of the remedy and improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for breakfast." Sold by C. P. Allcott, druggist.—44v

SENATOR ROOT WILL BEGIN HIS 70TH YEAR TOMORROW

Shows No Signs of Advancing Years and is Accounted as One of the Ablest Men Ever in the U. S. Senate.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14.—Elihu Root, Republican leader in the United States senate and generally conceded to be one of the ablest men who ever occupied a seat in that distinguished body, will enter upon his seventieth year tomorrow. Senator Root shows few signs of his age. His face has few lines and his hair lacks the frost appearance usually associated with the locks of the septegenarian.

Yet no man in American public life today has had a more active or distinguished career than the senior New York senator. While his world fame has largely been won in the last eight years, since he became Secretary of the State in Roosevelt's cabinet, his work in reorganizing the war department during the four years he held the war portfolio was a good index to his sagacity, skill and constructive ability.

Mr. Root's legal ability has been recognized in his appointment as a member of the Alaskan Boundary Tribunal in 1903, his services as counsel for the United States in the North Atlantic Fisheries Arbitration in 1910 and his selection as a member of the permanent Court of Arbitration at The Hague.

He trained Cuba for self-government, helped pacify the Philippines and framed the organic act for both islands and instituted their civil government. His tour of Central and South America accomplished marvels in the way of bringing about a better feeling of harmony among the southern republics. The award of the Nobel peace prize for 1912 to Senator Root was a worthy recognition of his great services as a stateman, and an advocate of peace.

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Tuesday, Feb. 17.—Harry Fanning, 2 miles south of Murrayville.

Feb. 18.—J. W. Crum sons at farm 1¼ miles east of Literberry.

February 18.—Public sale of Duroc Jersey bred sows of C. H. Gilier and A. E. Knight, White Hall.

Thursday, Feb. 19—Lloyd Luckeman on A. L. French farm.

Feb. 20.—Land and stock sale at home of Allan P. Adams, 2½ miles southwest Woodson.

Feb. 20.—W. A. Master's. Duer farm, half miles west of Pisgah.

Feb. 24.—W. H. Galloway, 1 mile east of Murrayville.

Feb. 25.—L. O. Berryman, 1 mile west of Franklin.

Wednesday, Feb. 25.—J. W. Arnold stock sale at Arnold.

Feb. 27.—John Lewis sale 3 1-2 miles south of city.

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FOR SALE—Cheap if taken soon, six room modern house on Prairie street; just a few blocks from the square. L. S. Doane, Farrell Bank Bldg. 2-15-2t

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Thursday afternoon, gold watch and fob in northeast part of town. Return to Journal Office. Reward. 2-13-2t

STRAYED—One black sow, 250 pounds, from Sherman street Wednesday. Call both phones 28. 2-13-2t

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WORLD'S LATEST FINANCIAL AND MARKET NEWS

STOCK SPECULATION RUNS LARGELY TO THE SPECIALTIES

Inertia of the Market Discourages Efforts Among the Favorite Shares—Reaction All But Cancels Early Advance.

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Speculation ran largely to the specialties today and for a time good progress upward was made in this section of the list. The inertia of the market discouraged speculative efforts among the favorite shares, which hardly moved through the half-day session, but the low-priced steel stocks, the railway equipment issue and other specialties were easier to move.

The early advance was all but cancelled by a subsequent reaction and the day's changes, except in a few instances, were unimportant.

Canadian Pacific turned weak in the late trading, dropping about two points. Rock Island preferred again was under pressure and touched a new low record at 10⅜. New York Central moved up toward the close. Recent heavy selling of this stock, brought into circulation rumors concerning a possible cut in the dividend. Official denial today of these rumors strengthened the stock.

New York Stock List—Last Sale.

Amal. Copper	77
Amer. Beet Sugar	24⅛
Amer. Cotton Oil	46
Amer. S. & R.	68⅞
Amer. Sugar Refining	107
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	12[illegible]
Anaconda Mining Co.	37⅜
Atchison	98⅞
Atlantic Coast Line	124½
Baltimore & Ohio	92⅜
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	92⅜
Canadian Pacific	215⅜
Chesapeake & Ohio	64⅜
Chicago & N. W.	136½
Chicago, M. & St. P.	103½
Colorado Fuel & Iron	33¾
Colorado & Southern	26
Delaware & Hudson	158
Denver & Rio Grande	15⅝
Erie	31⅜
General Electric	148½
Great Northern pfd	132⅜
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	38
Illinois Central	111¼
Interborough-Met.	15½
Interborough-Met. pfd	61½
Inter Harvester	110
Louisville & Nashville	136½
Missouri Pacific	26½
Misouri, K. & T.	21⅜
Lehigh Valley	150¾
National Lead	50
New York Central	90
Norfolk & Western	104⅜
Northern Pacific	116½
Pennsylvania	112⅝
People's Gas	122⅛
Pullman Palace Car	155½
Reading	168
Rock Island Co.	6¾
Rock Island Co. pfd	10¾
Southern Pacific	96⅜
Southern Railway	27
Union Pacific	163¼
U. S. Steel	66¾
U. S. Steel pfd	110⅜
Wabash	2⅜
Western Union	64¼
New Haven	78⅛

New York Bonds.

U. S. ref. 2s, registered	98⅝
U. S. ref. 2s, coupon	98⅝
U. S. 3s, registered	102
U. S. 3s, coupon	102
U. S. 4s, registered	111¾
U. S. 4s, coupon	112
Panama, 3s, coupon	102

New York Grain Market
New York, Feb. 14.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 hard winter 99¾c cif to arrive; No. 2 red, $1.02 elevator domestic basis; No. 1 Northern Duluth $1.03¾ and No. 1 Northern Manitoba, $1.03¼ fob afloat. Futures were steady on the cables and a disposition to widen differences with the west, but trading was quiet, closing ⅛c net higher to ⅛c lower. May $1.01⅛; July 96⅞c.
Corn—Spot easy; New No. 3 yellow 69½c cif to arrive.
Oats—Spot dull.

New York Money Market
New York, Feb. 14.—Call money nominal. No loans.
Time money steady. Sixty days 2½@2¾; 90 days 2¾@3; six months 3¼@3½.
Mercantile paper 3¾@4½.
Sterling exchange easy. Sixty days 4.83.65; for demand 4.85.40.
Commercial bills 4.82¾.
Bar silver 57⅝c.

Peoria Grain Market
Peoria, Ill., Feb. 14.—Corn ½ to 1c lower. No. 3 yellow and No. 3 mixed 60@60½; No. 4 yellow 58@59½; No. 4 mixed 58@59c.
Oats—Unchanged. No. 2 white 39½@41c; standard 38¾@39; No. 3 white 38@38½c; No. 4 white 37c.

HOME MARKETS.
Grocers Pay Farmers

Black Walnuts, bu	$1
Apples, bu.	$1.00
Potatoes, bu	80c
Eggs	25c
Butter	30c
Lard	12½c

Commission men pay

Hens, heavy	12c
Hens, light	11c
Spring chickens	11@12c
Staggy young roosters	8c
Old Roosters	6c
Ducks	10c
Guineas, each	20c
Geese	8c
Turkey hens and young turkeys	16c
Old toms	14c
Eggs	20c
Butter	16c
Jacksonville Creamery is paying for butter fat this week	26c

Hay and Grain

Timothy hay, per bale	90c
Timothy hay, per ton	$17.00
Clover hay, per bale	85c
Clover hay, per ton	$17.00
Alfalfa hay, per bale	80c
Alfalfa hay, per ton	$18.00
Oat straw	50c
Wheat straw	40c
Corn, per bushel	85c
Bran, per cwt	$1.40-1.45
Shorts, per cwt	$1.65
Scratch feed	$1.95-2.00
Chick feed	$2.00
Kahir corn	$2.00
Oats, per bushel	65c
Wheat, per bushel	$1.00-1.10
Cracked corn	$1.90-1.95
Coarse corn meal	$1.90
Oyster shell	85c
Crysco grit	$1.00
Graham flour	40c
Corn meal	35c
Alfalmo, per cwt	$1.50

APPOINTED SECRETARY.
London, Feb. 14.—Edwin Samuel Montague, parliamentary secretary of state for India has been appointed financial secretary to the treasury to succeed Charles Frederick Gurney Masterman.

JACKSONVILLE TIME CARD.
Chicago & Alton

North Bound—

Chicago Ltd. ex-Sun, ar	12:30 am
Chicago Ltd., ex-Sun., dept.	1:40 pm
Chicago-Peoria Accom., thru to Chicago	7:00 ma
Peoria-Bloomington Acc.	5:30 pm
From St. Louis	9:30 pm
Chicago, "Red Hummer"	2:00 am

South and West Bound—

St. Louis Accom. daily	6:30 am
Kansas City-St. Louis local	10:42 am
St. Louis-Mexico Accom.	3:55
Kansas City Express	8:20 pm

Wabash.

East Bound—

No. 72, local freight, ex-Sun	11:17 am
Decatur Eastern Express	6:35 pm
No. 52, daily	9:45 pm
No. 28, daily	1:36 am
No. 4, daily	8:30 am

No train stops at Junction.

West Bound—

No. 9, daily	1:20 pm
No. 73, loc. freight, ex-Sun.	2:25 pm
No. 3, daily	7:05 an
No. 15, daily	5:14 pm
No. 53, Hannibal Accom.	10:20 am

Burlington Route

North Bound—

No. 47, daily, ex-Sunday	11:20 am
No. 11, daily, ex-Sunday	4:50 pm

South Bound—

No. 12, daily, ex-Sunday	6:55 am
No. 43, daily, ex-Sunday	2:08 pm

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North Bound—

No. 36 daily	7:28 am
No. 38, daily	3:15 pm
No. 38, Sunday only	2:03 pm
No. 36, returns	11:24 am
No. 38 returns	6:54 am

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WHEAT RALLY IS BROUGHT ABOUT BY EXPORT SALES

After Showing Declining Tendency Most of Day, Market Winds Up Steady at Same as Previous Close.

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Export sales which were to have reached a large total brought about a rally today in wheat. The market after having shown a declining tendency most of the day wound up steady at the same as last night, to ⅛ shade off.

Corn and oats closed also virtually unchanged. In provisions, the outcome was a setback of 10c to 22½c.

Buying of wheat for European shipment took place chiefly here and at Duluth. Estimates that country elevator stocks northwest had been depleted 5,000,000 bushels since Feb. 1, helped the late recovery in the price of wheat. There were also statements that much of the wheat in Montana had been sold to go to the Pacific coast.

Corn swung upward when wheat developed returning strength.

In the oats crowd the trading consisted chiefly of hedging against the country.

Hog prices at a higher level gave a lift to provisions. Stock yard interests led the buying.

Chicago Livestock Market
HOGS.
Receipts, 9,000.
Market easy at 5@10c advance.

Bulk of sales	$8.50@8.60
Lights	8.35@8.65
Mixed	8.40@8.65
Heavy	8.25@8.65
Rough	8.25@8.40
Pigs	7.50@8.45

CATTLE.
Receipts 200
Market steady.

Beeves	7.00@9.50
Texas steers	6.80@8.00
Western steers	6.60@7.85
Stockers and feeders	6.00@8.00
Cows and heifers	3.50@8.50
Calves	9.00@10.50

SHEEP.
Receipts, 2,500.
Market slow

Native	4.75@5.35
Western	4.75@6.00
Yearlings	5.75@7.10
Lambs, native	6.[illegible]@7.80
Western	6.[illegible]@7.85

St. Louis Livestock Market
HOGS.
Receipts, 600.
Market steady.

Pigs and lights	[illegible]@8.70
Mixed and butchers	[illegible]@8.70
Good heavy	8.[illegible]@8.75

CATTLE.
Receipts, 400.
Market steady.

Native beef steers	$7.00@9.50
Cows and heifers	4.50@8.50
Stockers and feeders	6.00@7.50

SHEEP.
Receipts none.
Market steady.

Native muttons	5.50@7.00
Lambs	7.00@7.80

Minneapolis Grain Market
Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 14.—The wheat market opened fractionally higher today and continued in a narrow range.
Cash—No. 1 hard 94¾c; No. 1 northern 91¾@93¾c; to arrive 93⅛c; choice to arrive 95⅛c. No. 2 northern 89¾@91¾c; to arrive 87¾@89¾c; No. 3 wheat, [illegible]@88c.

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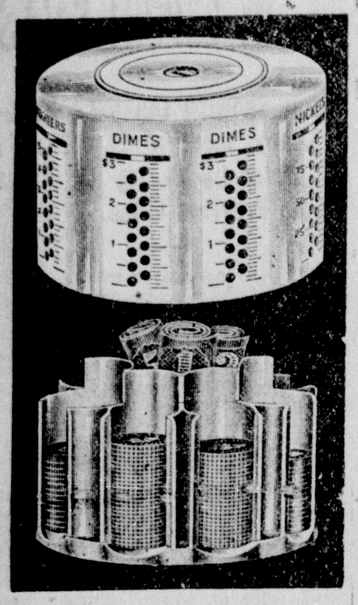
Wheat—	High	Low	Close
May	$ .93⅞	$ .93⅛	$ .93⅝
July	.88	.88⅜	.88⅝
Corn—			
May	.65⅜	.65⅛	.65⅜
July	.64⅞	.64⅝	.64⅞
September	.64½	.64¼	.64½
Oats—			
May	.39½	.39⅜	.39⅜
July	.38⅝	.38½	.38½
Pork—			
May	21.87½	21.67½	21.85
Lard—			
May	11.02½	10.95	11.02½
July	11.20	11.17½	11.20
Ribs—			
May	11.70	11.65	11.70
July	11.82½	11.77½	11.82½

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.
Chicago, Feb. 14.—Wheat—No. 2 red 96@96½; No. 2 red 93@94½; No. 2 hard winter 92@92½; No. 3 hard winter 91¼@91¾; No. 3 spring 91@92; No. 3 spring 89@92; No. 1 Nor. Spg. 93@94½; No. 2 Nor. Spg. 92@92¾; No. 3 Nor. Spg. 90@91½.
Corn—No. 3, 60@60½; No. 4, 57½@59½; No. 3 white 64@65; No. 4 white 61@63½; No. 3 yellow 60½@61½; No. 4 yellow 58@59; No. 4 white 38@38½; standard 39½.

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN MARKET.
St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 14.—Wheat—No. 2 red 95@96; No. 3 red 92@94; No. 2 hard winter 90½@93; No. 3 hard winter 89@92.
Corn—No. 2, 64½@65; No. 3, 61½@63; No. 4, 60; No. 2 white 67; No. 3 white 63@65; No. 4 white 60@62; No. 2 yellow 66; No. 3 yellow 62@63; No. 4 yellow 60.
Oats—No. 2 41; No. 3 40@40½; No. 4, 39½; No. 2 white 42@42½; No. 3 white 41; No. 4 white 38@40; standard 41½.

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RUSSIAN SOIL SHOWS SIGNS OF MARVELOUS FERTILITY

John A. Groves Tells How Alfalfa Is Grown There in Great Fields—Farmers Are Indifferent to Modern Agricultural Methods.

John A. Groves who recently returned from Russia says that country is one of marvelous fertility and that it could produce enough to supply the world with food if only the best methods of agriculture were followed.

Prejudice Against Foreigners.

Talking about that far away country and conditions there Mr. Groves said yesterday: "The great difficulty that an agriculture implement agent has in Russia is in overcoming prejudice. The average farmer there and the man in charge of land feels that he knows all that is necessary about agriculture and about farming implements. He is thus inclined to resent any suggestions made by a man from the United States or rather to give only partial attention to any suggestions made. As a representative of my company I frequently had occasion to talk to both farmers and to agents of the company and would try to explain to them the uses of various modern farm implements based upon the advanced ideas which are in vogue in this country. My experience was that they would only pay attention for a short time and then would lose all interest or turn away. I found that in most cases the only way that I could really accomplish anything was by writing out my suggestions and leaving them for the agent to look over.

Shy of Modern Methods.

"I found the same trouble with blacksmiths and workers of that class. They were in the habit of sharpening plows without any consideration of the relationship between points and wings and so the plows were doing work which was far from the best. It took me a long time to persuade one blacksmith to sharpen a plow in the way that we do here in America. However, this characteristic of resenting or rather giving no heed to suggestions made by outsiders is not characteristic of Russia alone for the same thing holds true in England. I do not mean to say that the agricultural methods in use in England are not advanced but I do say that they could learn many good and valuable lessons from American agriculturalists if they so desired. They have the feeling however that America is too new a country to have produced any men or methods advantageous to them.

Alfalfa in Russia.

You may be surprised to know that alfalfa is largely produced in that cold country of Russia and I have seen a field of it so large that one could not locate the boundary line in any direction with the naked eye. The method of raising this plant in Russia is very similar to that in America and the same difficulties of cultivating it are met. The land must be thoroughly prepared and the soil inoculated. The wonder is that with the care necessary for this crop that it is so successfully raised in Russia. As I have said the land there is of marvelous productiveness and thus far it has not reached the stage where any attention or thought is given to fertilization. I do not think that any attention has been paid either to the question of crop rotation. This is true no doubt because the methods or farming are so indifferent that the rich land has not been drawn on to any great extent and its vast resources of fertility are still almost untouched."

CONSERVATORY NOTES.

Mr. Kritch and Mr. Munger went to Chicago Friday night and will hear the concert of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra and the recital given by Tetrazzini and Ruffo at the Auditorium.

Miss Nathalia Jensen plays violin solos at the Whitney Opera House, Chicago, this afternoon, February 15th.

Mr. Munger will give a short and informal talk on Opera Tuesday evening, February 17th, at the public library, illustrating with the assistance of the Victrola.

Rebecca Scheibel sang an aria "With Verdure Clad" from Haydn's "Creation at the Musical Appreciation class on Tuesday afternoon.

A photographer will be present at the rehersals of the chorus on Monday evening and the orchestra on Wednesday evening, Feb. 16th and 18th to take pictures of these organizations for the college publications.

J. Philip Read has organized a mixed quartet which will sing Tuesday mornings at the chapel exercises of Illinois college.

WILL HOLD ANNUAL BANQUET IN CHICAGO

Members and candidates for membership in the Associated Press Goodfellowship Club, Illinois and Iowa Branch, will gather around the festal board at the Auditorium Hotel in Chicago this afternoon. Reservation has been made for seventy-five at the banquet, which will be served at 2 o'clock, and the principal address will be delivered by Paul Crowles, of Chicago, superintendent of the Central Division of the Associated Press.

This will be the time for the annual business session of the club, when the annual election of officers will be held. The business session is to be held in the Auditorium Hotel this moring at 11 o'clock. Those from Jacksonville who will attend the meeting are W. A. Fay, W. H. DeShara, who is president of the organization and Joseph Pine.

JUSTICE COURTS.

The case of Mrs. Mary Nunes, Charles C., and Frank Nunes, charged with assault with intent to kill, was postponed in Squire Dyer's court until Tuesday, February 24.

MONA LIMERICK WITH THE ENGLISH PLAYERS

Miss Mona Limerick who, though born in India, is of Irish origin on both sides of the family, commenced her stage career ten years ago. She wisely elected to serve an apprenticeship in all branches of theatrical enterprise, and she began by having a thorough grounding in melodramatic companies—an experience that she values so highly that she now recommends the same initial training to all beginners. Subsequently she played in many Shakespeareian productions and also modern comedies. In 1906, she was leading lady of the Abbey theatre, ublin, and appearedD as "Deidre" in W. B. Yeats' play of that name. With Mr. B Iden Payne as organizer and producer, Miss A. E. F. Horniman opened her theatre in Manchester in 1907. Miss Limerick was the leading lady of this company, playing the principal parts in plays by Shakespeare, Bernard Shaw, John Masefield, Charles McEvoy Edward Garnett and other great dramatists. William Archer, the distinguished London critic, attributed the success of the first visit of the Horniman company to London in 1909 mainly to the personal trimuphs of Miss Limerick. Some of Miss Limerick's most successful parts are Blanche Sartorius in Bernard Shaw's "Widowers' Houses," Ann Whitfield in the same author's "Man and Superman," Nan in John Masefield's tragedy of that name, Nora in Ibsen's "A Doll's House," Ann Frith, the title role in Charles McEvoy's play of that name. Miss Limerick will appear as Mrs. Sturgess in "Dolly Reforming Herself" at the Grand Opera house, Friday evening, February 20. The idea Payne English Players have just closed a fifteen weeks' season at the Fine Arts theatre Chicago. This company only plays six one night stands before leaving for England and is under a guarantee from the Drama League of America everywhere they appear.

KING BELIEVES IN HARD WORK

London, Eng., Feb. 14.—King George today told Predendary Wilson Carlile, head of the church army that he was a great believer in hard work.

The king said, "I have to work hard myself, and I think it is good for people."

His majesty's remark was made during an audience granted to Mr. Carlisle at Buckingham palace.

NEWS FERECAST FOR THE COMING WEEK

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14.—Ernst Haeckel, the famous German philosopher, will celebrate his 80th birthday on Monday. Herr Haeckel is looked upon as the dean of science of the old world. His countless friends and disciples are preparing to celebrate his birthday anniversary in a very substantial way.

Elaborate ceremonies have been arranged for the memorial observance of the sixteenth anniversary of the sinking of the battleship Maine in the harbor of Havana at Arlington National Cemetery on Monday. President Wilson, Secretary of the Navy Daniels and Secretary of War Garrison are scheduled to deliver addresses.

A special election will be held in Denver on Tuesday, when the voters will be given an opportunity to decide the proposal to issue $3,000,000 of bonds for the construction of the Moffat tunnel under the James peak.

St. Thomas's Church, in New York city, will be the scene of an international wedding on Tuesday, when Miss Elizabeth F. Hanan, daughter of the late James Hanan of Brooklyn, will become the bride of Duke Don Arturo Demaio Durazzo of Italy.

Lodges of the Knights of Pythias throughout the United States and Canada will devote the greater part of the week to a celebration of the semi-centennial anniversary of the order. The principal celebration will be held in Washington, D. C., in which city the order was founded February 19, 1864.

Friday is the day fixed for the wedding in Paris of Miss Gladys McMillan and Count Paul Cornot of Belgium. The bride-elect is a daughter of Mrs. Spencer Penrose of Colorado Springs and a granddaughter of the late Senator McMillan of Michigan.

"CALGARIAN" ON FIRST CRUISE

Liverpool, Feb. 14.—The new Allan Line steamship Calgarian sailed from Liverpool today on her maiden trip to Halifax. The Calgarian is a sister ship to the Alsation, which was put into service last month. She is a turbine quadruple screw steamer of 18,000 tons and is fitted with all modern conveniences and life-saving appliances. The Calgarian has accomodations for 250 first-clas passengers, 500 second and 1,000 third clas, and in addition carries a crew of 500.

AGED WOMAN DIES.

New York, Feb. 14.—Mrs. Matilda Oakley Rhinelander, widow of William Rhinelander, whose ancestors settled in this country at New Rochelle in 1686, died today after a brief illness at her home here. She had been prominently known in society for many years.

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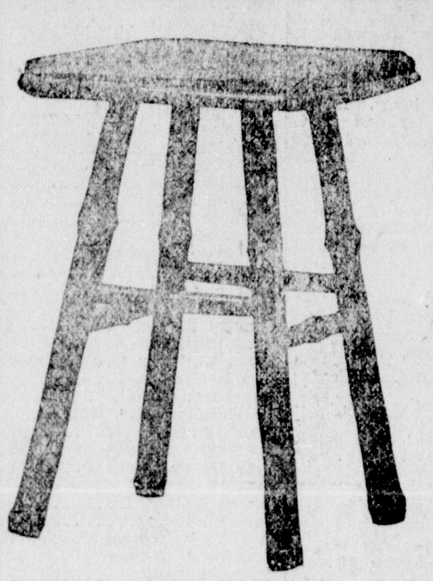
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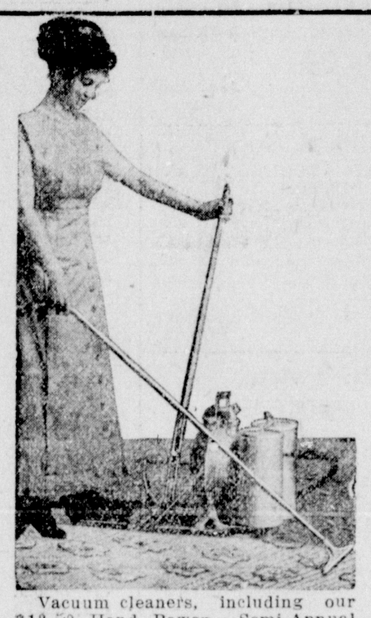
Bamboo Tabourette. Standard size. Semi-Annual sale

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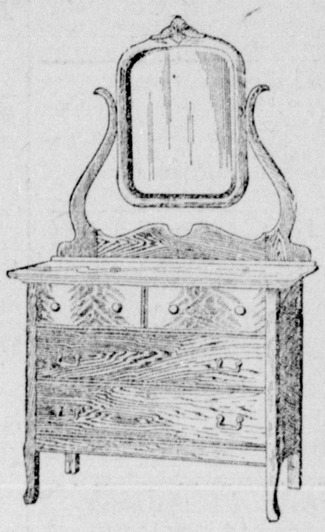
Golden quartered oak pedestal polished. Semi-Annual sale

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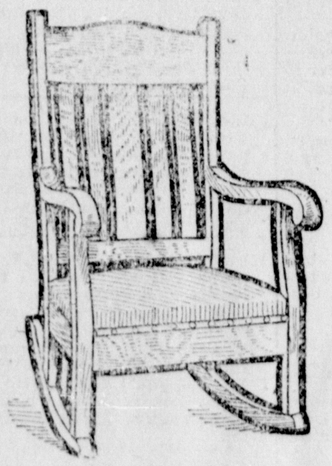
Vacuum cleaners, including our $13.50 Hand Power. Semi-Annual sale

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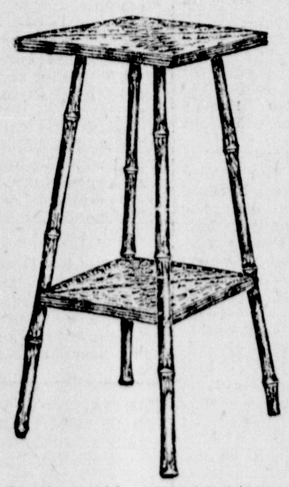
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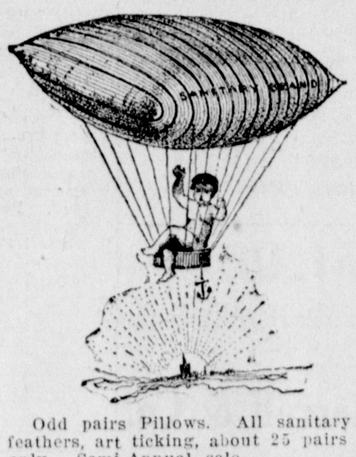
This solid oak genuine leather rocker. Semi-Annual sale

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Bamboo table with 14x14 top, 34 inches high. Semi Annual sale

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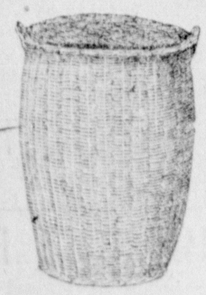
Odd pairs Pillows. All sanitary feathers, art ticking, about 25 pairs only. Semi-Annual sale

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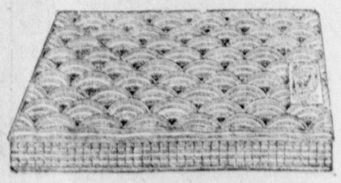
A splendid time to anticipate on rugs. See our 9x12 seamless all wool velvet rug. Semi-Annual sale

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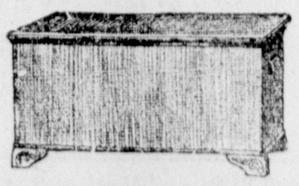
All willow round clothes hamper. Semi-Anual sale

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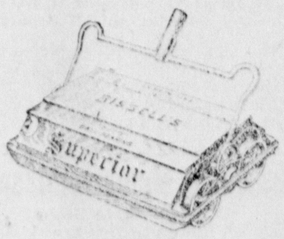
45 pound guaranteed felt mattress. Blue art tick. Regular price $10.00. Semi-Annual sale

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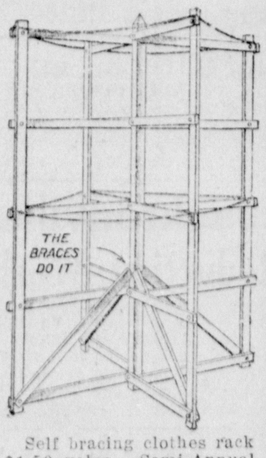
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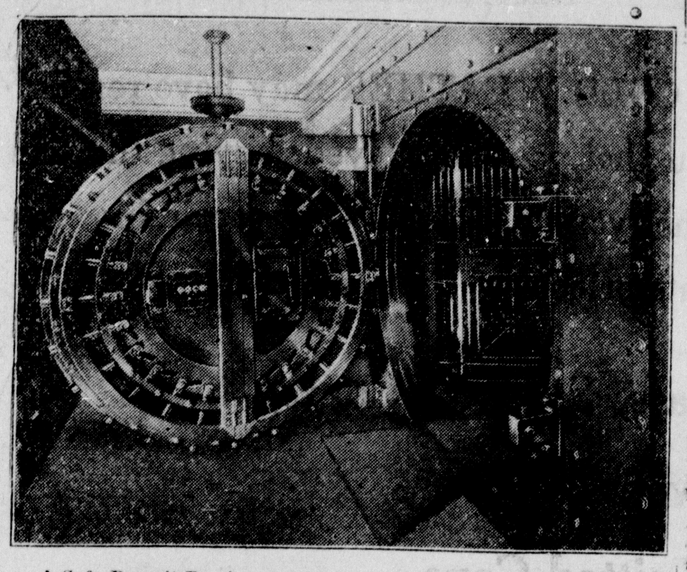
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COUNTY VISITORS.

Visitors from Woodson yesterday included Richard Butler, Patrick Crotty, John Simpson, Doc' Butler, Chas. Taylor, Jesse Butler, Charles Henry, Mrs. Jack Craigmiles and William McCurley.

Among the visitor in the city yesterday from Alexander were: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Corrington, Miss Helen Saye, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ruble, George Caldwell, William Erixon, B. D. Davenport, Mrs. E. J. Edmunds, Samuel Camm, Lester Kennett, Herbert Sinclair, Harry Perry and Clarence Trent.

Among the visitors in the city yesterday from Orleans were: Mrs. Charles Bennett, Mrs. Jane Holmes, Miss Matilda Richardson, Roy Young, Frank Drury, Earl Sinclair, Andrew Harris Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Clark Stevenson and Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Strawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McFillen, William Young, Miss Mae Martin, Dave Parks, Luther Cooper, J. G. Meyers, Charles Gaines, C. L. Berry, H. Petefish of Literberry were in the city yesterday.

Woodson was represented in the city yesterday by Robert Rawlings, Dr. G. W. Miller, Samuel Henry, William Paul, William Wilding, H. D. Sheppard, Misses Addie Rawlings, Meda and Ione Gallagher and C. E. Henry.

Representatives of Literberry in the city yesterday were Mrs. Bert Wagner, Samuel Allen, Oscar Petefish and family, Joseph Lindsay, Edward Liter, Mrs. C. R. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Clark.

George and Arthur Swain, James Mahon and Samuel Jumper were among the arrivals yesterday from Sinclair precinct.

Walter Bedinfield, William Davidson, Richard and Edward Stanley were all arrivals in the city yesterday from Joy Prairie.

C. C. Young and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Baumasiter, Mr. and Mrs. George Baumaister were all in from the north part of the county yesterday.

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BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS HELD AT FRANKLIN

Friends Gather at Home of Mrs. Georgs Harney in Honor of Mrs. Pauline D. Wright and Mrs. Camelia Boulware.

A pleasant birthday surprise party was given for Mrs. Pauline D. Wright and Mrs. Camelia Boulware, Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Harney at Franklin. The party was planned by the ladies of the Christian church and was managed by Mrs. Ella G. Stewart. All the guests assembled at a furniture store in Franklin and proceeded to the Harney home each one carrying a basket provided with all sorts of good things to eat. The meal consisted of a tempting menu and was greatly enjoyed and it was regretted that more could not attend from the country being detained at home on account of the bad weather. The hours were from 10 o'clock till 4 and they were spent in a most happy manner socially

One of the regrets of the occasion was that Mrs. M. L. Roberts, whose birthday was yesterday could not attend, as she is a patient at Dr. Day's hospital in this city. Mrs. Wright was 70 years of age Saturday and Mrs. Boulware will be 76 today. Both are pioneer residents of Franklin community and long time members of the Christian church. No women of that place are held in higher esteem and many were the sincere good wishes extended them yesterday. They also received a number of appreciative gifts.

Among those present were the hostess and guests of honor and the following: Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Teany and daughter Elta, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watson, Mr. and Mrs. George Tribble, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Morris and daughter Frances, Mr. and Mrs. N. Z. Reinbach, Mrs. Abner Wood, Mrs. W. H. Jones, Mrs. Ollie Mayfield, Mrs. J. M. Hart, Mrs. Kate Wright and daughter Kamille, Miss Dorothea Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rees, Glen Harney, Misses Maude and Carrie Lombard of Waverly, Mrs. J. M. Elder, Edward Tandy and Miss Blanche Harney.

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W. C. T. U. WILL HOLD MEMORIAL FOR MRS. WILLARD

The W. C. T. U. is planning to hold a Frances E. Willard memorial and Thank offering service at the home of Rev. W. E. Spoonts, Tuesday from 2:30 till 5 o'clock. The offering is divided into three parts, one third or at least $2.00 is sent to the State W. C. T. U., for temperance missionary work and one third goes to the state legislative work, or at least one dollar. All that remains will go toward the local W. C. T. U., fund. These funds may be sent to Miss Mattie Tapp, 342 East State street, treasurer of the W. C. T. U., or to Mrs. Sarah J. Cocking, 310 West North street. The regular meeting of the society will be held at the home of Mrs. Cocking tomorrow at 2:30. For the Memorial exercises a program is being prepared by Mrs. L. Smith, superintendent of Red Letter Days.

PUBLIC SALE.

Lloyd Luckeman on A. L. French farm, Chapin, Feb. 19. Livestock, implements.

ATTACK REGISTRATIONS.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 14.—Representatives of woman's political organizations who have canvassed the registration room of the first ward today attacked approximately one thousand registrations and asked that the names be stricken from the poll lists.

he largest number of suspects were in the lodging house precincts.

Special Quality Rubbers at Hopper's.

PUBLIC SALE.

Friday, Feb. 20th at 10:30 a. m. at his place 2 miles southwest of Woodson Allen P. Adams will sell several horses, a cow, a lot of farm implements, hay, straw and corn and forty acres of land.

GOLDEN JUBILEE OF PYTHIANS SOON TO BE CELEBRATED

Order Will Be Fifty Years Old Next Next Thursday—Most Imposing Ceremonial Will Be Carried Out in Washington Where Order Was Founded.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14.—Thursday next will be the golden jubilee or fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Knights of Pythias, and lodges in every part of the United States and Canada are preparing to celebrate the event in an appropriate manner. The order was founded in this city, and the greatest celebration will be held here. The exercises will begin Wednesday and continue through the remainder of the week. The grand lodges of all states and provinces will be represented by delegates.

The celebration will be ushered in Wednesday evening with a reception and entertainment to be given by the Pythian Sisters of the District of Columbia. Thursday afternoon the jubilee exercises will be held in the ball room of the New Williard Hotel. Supreme Chancellor Thomas J. Carling, of Macon, Ga., will preside, and a number of prominent speakers will be heard. Among those present will be Abraham D. Vandeveer an Edward S. Kimball who were the first members initiated into the order.

The celebration will be continued Thursday evening with an anniversary mass meeting. Secretary of State William J. Bryan, who is past chancellor of Lincoln Lodge of Lincoln, Neb., will deliver an address on "Franternity as Exemplified by the Knights of Pythias." Supreme Vice Chancellor Brigham S. Young of Ohio, will speak on "Friendship," Supreme Prelate Joseph H. Spearing, of Tennessee, of "Charity," and Supreme Haster of Exchequer Thomas D. Meares, of North Carolina, of "Benevolence."

Friday wil be devoted largely to are view of the work of the several branches of the order by their officials and prominent members. Maj. Gen. Arthur J. Stobbart will speak for the uniform rank of the order, Union B. Hunt of Indianapolis for the insurance department, Imperial Prince Charles E. Rice for the Dramatic Order Knights of Korassan and Mrs. Ida M. Johnson of Colorado, the supreme chief, for the Pythian Sisters.

The formal exercises of the jubilee will conclude Friday with a great mass meeting at the New Willard Hotel, at which Supreme Vice Chancellor Young will preside. There will be two addresses, one by Walter B. Richie, past supreme chancellor, on "The Lesson of Friendship," and the other by Rev. Allen A. Stockdale of Toledo, on "Pythian Power."

In the whole range of fraternal and beneficiary societies there is probably no one that can equal the Knights of Pythias in its record of growth. Fifty years ago the order was unborn. Today it is the third largest organization of its kind in America, its membership being exceeded only by that of the Free Masons and the Odd Fellows.

It was on February 19, 1864, that Justus H. Rathbone, a New Yorker who was employed in one of the government offices here, called together a few of his friends to discuss the formation of a fraternal society. It was just at the close of the civil war and the time was considered auspicious for forming a society. The inital steps were taken and it was decided to call the order the Knights of Pythias.

The order prospered from the start. From its humble beginning in this city it spread to every part of the United States and Canada. The total membership now exceeds 700,000. Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana and Illinois have upwards of 50,000 members each. The Pythian Sisters, the women's auxiliary to the order, is organized throughout the country. The military department boasts of 20,000 members, while the insurance department has about 75,000 members who carry an aggregate of nearly $100,000,000 in insurance.

Telephone tomorrow and enter your order for a month's service from our milk department. It's worth while to have absolutely pure milk, rich in butter fat, for your daily table consumption. Jacksonville Creamery Company.

PROBATE COURT NEWS.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Evans. Inventory approved. Appraisement bill approved.

In the matter of the estate of Edwin D. Jackson, Sr. Petition for letters of administration. Petition heard and allowed. Bond fixed at $1,000 and approved as filed. Letters to issue as prayed for to Flora E. Jackson.

MATHIS, KAMM & SHIBE SAY:

We will do our best to please you in footwear, if you will give us the opportunity.

LARGE FIELD IN SKI TOURNEY.

Virginia, Minn., Feb. 14.—Several hundred riders, famous for their speed and skill in skiing, gathered here today for the opening of the annual national championship tournament. The new slide is prooounced by experts to be one of the best in America and it is predicted that some new records for the sport will be established during the two days' meeting.

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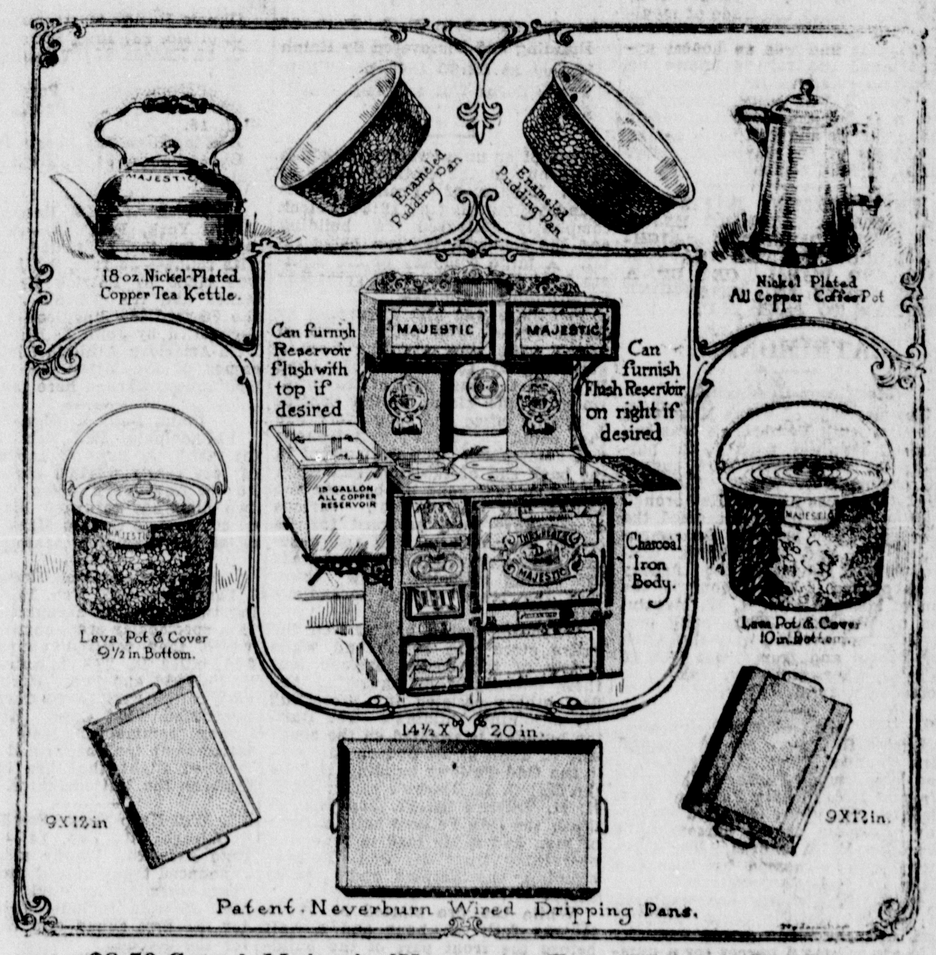
Evangelist Hugh A. Knowles is just concluding a successful revival meeting at Herrin, Ill. He had conversions in two weeks and will conclude his efforts there today. He will hold a meeting in Macon, Ill., March 8, and after that will go to Oklahoma.

MONTGOMERY & DEPPE

Are Receiving Their

New Spring Goods

FEBRUARY SALE



$8.50 Set of Majestic Ware with Each Majestic Range.

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FLORETH CO.

YOU will have plenty of use for a Winter Coat yet

You can buy one mighty cheap at Floreths' for either LADY, MISS or CHILD While our selling on winter coats was much better than usual this season, we have a good assortment left, which we will sell less than manufacturers' cost.

Ladies' Coats

In Arabian Lamb, Ural Lamb, Chinchilla, Astrachan and fancy coatings, coats that formerly sold at $17.50 to $35.00 now priced at **$7.50 and $10.00.**

Misses' Coats

Latest style Kimona sleeves, sizes 16 to 20 years **$5.00 and $7.50.**

Children's Coats

4 to 14 years priced **$2.00 to $5.00;** are less than manufacturer's cost.

Spring Goods are Now Arriving

Percales, 36 in. wide, light and dark colors **12 1-2c**
Percales, 32 in. wide, light and dark colors, **10c**
Dress Ginghams **10c**
Best Standard Calico **5c**

Wool Dress Goods, 50c

All wool Batistes Voiles in light shades for waists and evening dresses, 36 inches wide, an unusual value, now **50c.**

36 inch Messaline silk all colors, one regular, $1.10 value for **$1.00 yard.**

Cheney Bros.' Shower Proof Fancy Foulard Silks, 85c.

Here we show you every 1914 printing, 25 inches wide, genuine Cheney Bros. silk, every yard guaranteed, shower proof, a rare silk bargain now **85c yard.**

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In a very short time we will show to the general public an entire new spring line of millinery.

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10,000 women buy an R. & G. Corset each day of the year. 3,300,000 women in this country buy an R. & G. each year. There's an R. & G. for every figure. There's quality in every R. & G.



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Safest Place to Trade.

Bargain Week In Shoes



This week we are offering some new additions to our lots that we are closing out at $2.50. This snowy cold weather must put you in need of a pair of shoes to tide you over until our spring weather sets in.

Splendid shoes $3.50 to $5.00 values in broken lots and discontinued styles in all leathers and materials that we close out quickly now at $2.50.

Specials In Children's Shoes

We have some extra specials in children's shoes that we are closing out at 59c, 79c and 98c according to size.

Another lot of Children's and Misses shoes. We clean up at $1.25 and $1.50 Some high tops among these.

See our children's shoes.

The Hopper Shoes A modern repair department

HOPPER'S

Lambertvilles We sell lambertville snag-proofs

MORTUARY

Kershaw.

William Kershaw died at Passavant hospital Saturday morning, aged 57, after an illness of about two weeks of pneumonia. Mr. Kershaw was born in Warwickshire, England, and spent the early part of his life in or near Birmingham, where he learned the trade of moulder. He has lived in this city for many years and was an honest upright man. So far as known he leaves no relatives in this county. The funeral will occur Monday at 2 p. m. from the Reynolds undertaking parlors and will be in charge of officers of the Savlation Army. Burial in East cemetery.

THE SLEIGHING IS FINE.

A GREAT CHANCE TO ENJOY THE SNOW WHILE THE SLEIGHING IS GOOD AND THE WEATHER FAIR AND WARM. GET UP A "BOB" PARTY AND TELEPHONE CHERRY'S TO TAKE YOU.

MATRIMONIAL.

Megginson-Hembrough.

The marriage of Ralph Megginson and Miss Ruth Hembrough, was solemnized Saturday noon at the parsonage of the Brooklyn M. E. church the pastor, Rev. W. W. Theobald, officiating. Miss Annella Hembrough a sister of the bride witnessed the marriage. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hembrough and resides in the Asbury neighborhood. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Megginson of Woodson. The young people left last evening over the Alton for Peoria and from there will go to Iowa, where they will make their home on a farm.

Simon-Parks.

Lucian H. Simon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Simon of Galatia, Ill., and Miss Claude Parks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Parks of Harrisburg, Ill., were married Saturday afternoon at the parsonage of Brooklyn M. E. church. The ceremony was witnessed by Miss Ina Kelly and Dale Churchill.

Both young people are employed at the Jacksonville State hospital and are estimable young people. The groom was a barber for a number of years.

MATHIS, KAMM & SHIBE SAY:

We make it our business to have the Rubbers to fit your shoes; they weard better "and what's more" they stay on when you need them most.

WILL VISIT IN SOUTH.

Miss Georganna Bacon of North Mauvaisterre street expected to leave last evening for Dallas, Tex., where she will visit Mrs. J. A. Waller, and Mrs. W. E. Sharpe. She will go later to Houston for a visit with Mrs. Walter Goltra and will visit several other cities in the south before returning to Jacksonville next month.

CLOTHING STORE AT FRANKLIN BURNS

ESTABLISHMENT OF J. O. RALSTON A TOTAL LOSS.

Fire Originated in Back Part of Building and Discovered By Ralph Turley at 12:30 O'Clock—Whole Town Turns Out to Lend Assistance.

Fire, of an unknown origin, which broke out in the clothing store of J. O. Ralston of Franklin, this (Sunday) morning at 12:30 o'clock completely destroyed the building and the contents, the loss being total. A large company of fire fighters kept the flames from spreading to adjoining buildings.

The blaze was first discovered by Ralph Turley, who with a party of young folks was returning from a gathering at the home of Fred Burch in the east part of the town. He gave the alarm to the Central telephone office and soon every one that could be reached by telephone was summoned. The fire started in the back end of the store and when first seen had gone up between the ceiling and the tin roof. Various causes have been assigned for its origin among them that the gasoline generator which is located near the ceiling exploded. Few think that the blaze was of incendiary origin.

When the crowd had arrived the entire store was ablaze and while a few of the bucket brigade lent their energy in extinguishing the fire, others assisted in protecting the adjoining buildings. The Ralston building is situated on the south side of Main street and on the west is the Odd Fellows building, and on the east C. L. Beerup's barber shop. H. M. Tulpin's barber shop was beneath the Odd Fellows hall. A force of men had a big task in removing everything from the Odd Fellows building, the harness and barber shops.

While the fire started at 12:30 it was fully an hour and a half before the front part of the building fell, the clothing making a slow blaze.

The clothing building was owned by Frank Miller and it was valued at about $2500. It was built some ten years ago and was a good substantial structure. Mr. Ralston bought the stock from Al. Stewart two years ago and had recently bought new goods. It was roughly estimated that his loss was over $5,000, which makes the total loss over $7,500. Insurance was carried on the stock.

Reserve seats early Monday a. m. at the box office which will be opened at 9 o'Clock, for the Elks' Minstrels. Some good seats left.

IN FIELD OF SPORT

Basketball Scores.

Bradley Polytechnic 44; Augustana 9.

Lake Forest 43; Monmouth 21.

Wesleyan 62; McKendree college 22.

Illinois U. 35; Northwestern 15.

U. of Mo. 23; Iowa State 16.

U. of Kansas 32; Washington U. 21.

U. of Minnesota 21; Purdue 17.

Decatur High 23; Peoria Central High 15.

Decatur High 23; Peoria High 15.

Chenoa High 9; U. High of Normal 51.

Break World's Record.

New York, Feb. 14.—A world's record for the 28 pound shot put, with follow—36 feet, 8 1-2 inches—was made by Patrick Ryan, unattached and the world's record for the 75-yard low hurdles—9 seconds—equalled by John J. Eller, of the Irish-American Athletic Club at the games of the latter club at Madison Square Garden here tonight.

Plank Fails to Sign Up.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 14.—Eddie Plank, the hero of the final game of last year's world's series, when he let New York down with only two hits, has returned his unsigned contract to Connie Mack, manager of the champion Athletics.

Smash Aeroplane Records.

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 14.—Smashing two American aeroplane records in a spectacular cross-country flight, which they covered approximately 246 miles in 272 minutes, Lieut. T. F. Todd and Serg. Herbert Marcuss of the First Aero Corps, today performed what Capt. Arthur S. Cowan, commanding the army aviation camp tonight termed the most finished flight that has ever been made in the United States.

Will Keep White Sox Busy.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 14.—The Chicago American league management announced today one of the heaviest "barn-storming" schedules for years. The program includes forty games for the first squad and thirty-eight for the second.

The players will leave Chicago Thursday for Paso Robles, Calif., where a stay of about twelve days will be made. Then the players will be divided into two squads and the first game will be played March 5 at Oakland.

The first team will fill engagements in practically all of the large western cities, finishing the last game at St. Joseph, Mo., April 13.

The second team will play a number of western games and will finish up April 12 at Des Moines, Ia., and at Davenport, Ia., April 12.

Magnates Leave New York.

New York Feb. 14.—After a stirring week of baseball politics, the majority of those most interested in the business end of the national game have left here for their home cities to prepare for the playing season, the dates of which were arranged satisfactorily to the representatives of the two major leagues and the International league during their meetings this week.

Governor John K. Tener, the new executive of the National league, left for Washington today to attend the Gridiron club's dinner there tonight. Before leaving he said he had discussed the Murphy-Evers matter with Presidents Herrman, Dreyfuss, Ebbetts and Gaffney, and he left that everything so far had been arranged satisfactorily.

"There is no doubt," said Gov. Tener, "that the National league will see that the Chicago club is fairly dealt with in regard to the loss of Evers and the matter will be adjusted just as soon as possible. Hereafter the affairs of the league will be carried on with a broader idea of sportsmanship."

YOU CAN BE POPULAR.

INVITE YOUR FRIENDS FOR A "BOB" SLED PARTY AND YOU'LL BE THE MOST POPULAR PERSON IN TOWN. CHERRY'S HAVE BIG ROOMY ONES WHICH ARE AT YOUR DISPOSAL BY PHONING 850.

TO VISIT CALIFORNIA.

Brayton W. Smith of West College avenue expects to leave Wednesday for Los Angeles and points in Southern California. He will remain in California three or four weeks.

BILLY SUNDAY SWAMPED BY MEN

SHAKES HANDS WITH 1,199 CONVERTS IN ONE DAY.

Despite Wintry Weather Big Delegations of Men Tramp to Hear the Evangelist—Crowd Without a Leader Stands Up to Sing "America."

Rev. W. A. Sunday is having big success in his meetings at Pittsburg, Pa. A paper from that city of recent date says:

"Like a human bell buoy, anchor over a dangerous shoal, tossing and plunging in a tide rip of dangerous currents and dinning a warning with every roll, clanging a caution with every heave, never still amid the hliding waves, slamming, banging and clanging above dangerous rocks, "Billy" Sunday preached twice yesterday on "The Judgment." Thousands heard the metallic tongue ding donging "Beware!" and 1,199 heeded the danger signal and came forward as penitents. This is the greatest number that has stepped to the front in this campaign in any one day and the greatst number Sunday has ever shaken hands with within the space of ten hours.

"Even while he sat on the rostrum last evening he was undecided whether to repeat his sermon of the afternoon or to preach on "The Atonement." Finally, the fact that the audience of men in the evening was entirely different from that of the afternoon and that 70 per cent of them had never heard him preach before, decided him and he repeated his afternoon sermon. It was an inspiration, because it was after the evening session that the great rush of converts came.

Left in Happy Humor.

"Billy" Sunday left at 10 o'clock last night for his home at Winona, Lake, Ind., for a day's holiday and if ever a man started on a journey happy it was was Sunday. He was loaded down with magnificent flowers. He was cheered as he left the platform and many loud "Godspeeds" were sent after him.

He seemed to have completely recovered his voice and power under the greeting he got from the two great audiences of men who packed the tabernacle afternoon and evening. "Ma" Sunday, the only woman in the place in the evening, saw his triumph and heard the shouts of approbation that swelled up to him.

In the forenoon service, as most of the audience was supposed to come from the extreme west end of the city and, as the weather was not of the best, the place was not filled and yet 124 converts were secured. The meeting was scarcely finished when the place began to fill with men and after the second sermon, 271 came forward. By 5 o'clock thousands of men were flocking to the great shed in the face of a blinding snow and biting wind. Two thousand from the Pressed Steel Car company marched into the building in column of fours headed by a band.

Sang Without a Leader.

A bunch of traffic men in one corner, waited until the band stopped playing and immediately began to sing a revival hymn. This gave way to "America" and thousands were on their feet singing. Not one of the Sunday party was in sight. Rodeheaver had not arrived and there was nobody to lead the singing, but the men just sang anyhow.

It was one of the most spontaneous outbursts that has been witnessed during the present campaign. Then they sang "Marching to Zion" with all the swing that Rodeneaver could save put into it. The members of the male chorus, now rapidly gathering, stood up and opplauded the singing delegations. Two buglers blared the "reveille" and then the "assembly" and bands began to play. Stil there were no members of the Sunday party present and the crowd was just doing all this of its own initiative.

Another great body present was the Younger Men's league, the fighting phalanx, organized by Emett of the Sunday party several weeks ago, now grown to more than the strength of a fighting regiment.

When Rodeheaver arrived he had "The Brewer's Big Hosses" to sing and then he had Fred Sibert, the converted gambler, trill out a sweet gospel hymn, which he had to repeat. The policemen sang.

When "Billy" Sunday finally arrived and got on the rostrum he was greeted with handclapping, something that had never happened before. He felt the power in the atmosphere, for he suddenly switched his sermon to a repetition of the afternoon subject and during the course of it he told many stories and at one time swung himself clear around his little pulpit.

When the rush of converts started, and there were 804 of them, he could hardly contain himself. He was in and out of his cockpit, standing on his chair, from one side of the platform to the other, and for over half an hour he was shaking hands. Old men with white hair and bent shoulders followed dapper clerks; young men with tears streaming down their faces led parents to the front; grizzled men with big hand, and presidents of large corporations all were in line, until the personal workers were almost out of a job. The penitents seemeo to come voluntarily. Bench after bench was filled with them until the crowd extended back for 36 rows and still they were coming.

"I'm willing to mis my train if more of you want to come forward" cried Sunday and still they come forward to the front. Two of the interested spectators were R. B. Liddell, general superintendent of the Brill Car company, of Philadelphia, which manufactures street cars, and Warren Smith, his chief draftsman, who leave for the east again today. Mr. Liddell makes street cars, but he will not ride in one on the Sabbath and walked from downtown to the tabernacle to hear Sunday.

"I believe that the worm that never dies is memory," cried Sunday, "and through all eternity you will have to face your memory."

Converts up to Saturday night 15,161
Sunday fornoon 124
Sunday afternoon 271
Sunday evening 804

Total 16,365

DON'T MISS THIS CHANCE.

A CUTTER AND ONE OF CHERRY'S HORSES MAKES A GREAT SLEIGHING OUFIT. ORDER EARLY TODAY AND TAKE "HER" FOR A RIDE. IT MAY BE THE LAST CHANCE THIS WINTER.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our relatives and many friends for the kindness and sympathy shown us during our sad bereavement, and for the many beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. James R. Stice,
and Family.

Reserve seats early Monday a. m. at the box office which will be opened at 9 o'Clock, for the Elks' Minstrels. Some good seats left.

IN JUSTICE COURT.

J. W. Woods entered a suit for malicious destruction of property against Hal L. Hunt Saturday. The case came up in Squire Dyer's court and Mr. Hunt gave bond for his appearance before the circuit court.

THE COLD WEATHER may have reminded you that you've delayed buying the winter wearables that you need now. Very desirable garment at moderate prices;

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Fur Caps and Gloves,

Drop in and insist on seeing the new spring models in Society Brand Clothes. They're here. So are the new Stetson soft and stiff hats.

Your wardrobe may need brightening up just now and then you'll have the new style for the spring season. We'll be glad to have you see them to post up on what's new.

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The hatching season is now on and no doubt you will want some early chicks for frys, broilers or pullets for winter layers. If you want chicks we can supply any amount, but here is something better, you furnish the eggs and we will hatch them out for you at a very low price. By so doing you will not have to wait for the broody hen or fuss with an incubator. Our prices for hatching eggs are as follows:

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